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UNEARTH ANARCHIST PLOT TO BURN CHURCHES.

Blizzard.

FOUR DEAD FROM COLD.

Below Zero in New York City.

Irregular Alaskan Temperatures in Northern Part of the Empire State.

Traffic in Both Manhattan and Brooklyn Hampered by the Heavy Snow.

Freeze Along the Atlantic Extends as Far South as Florida.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 14.—New York City experienced the coldest weather of the winter today, when the thermometer registered 1 deg. above zero at 8 o'clock this morning. The coldest day on record here in many years was February 11, 1899, when the thermometer went to 6 deg. below.

Four deaths were reported today as a result of the cold. The temperature began to decline steadily last night from 12 deg., and was aided by high winds. The snowstorm abated late Sunday night. Traffic in Manhattan and Brooklyn was hampered considerably in the early morning hours, but a large force of men was put to work clearing the lines of the snow, and by noon traffic on the surface lines was running as per schedule. The cold weather and snow extended along the Atlantic coast from Northern Virginia to New Jersey.

THIRTY-EIGHT BELOW.

In Northern New York at some points the thermometer dropped to 38 degrees below zero, Canton reporting that low mark. In Gloversville, N. Y., it was officially reported that the thermometer stood at 22 deg. below. Points in New Jersey had the mercury under zero. Railroad trains were late, although each railroad entering New York reported that it had no blocks and was keeping fairly well to schedule. A rise in temperature and clear weather is the prediction for tomorrow.

Last night there were but 464 occupants in the municipal lodging-house, compared with 1742 a year ago last night. The superintendent attributed the decrease in the number of applicants for charity to improved industrial conditions and to the greater co-operation of employers in giving work to the lodgers.

WIDE TERRITORY COVERED.

The cold wave extended over a wide territory. Many points east of the western boundary line of Indiana reported below-zero marks this morning. The cold snap extended as far south as Pensacola, Fla., where the mercury dropped to freezing point. For some unexplained reason Illinois escaped, although neighboring States had temperatures below zero. At Dubuque, Iowa, it was 6 deg. below this morning, and at Grand Haven, Mich., the mercury tumbled to 4 deg. below. In Chicago the coldest mark was 13 deg. above. At Cincinnati the mercury dropped to 4 deg. above, and at Pittsburgh it went to 2 deg. below.

No relief is expected before tomor-

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KING'S COUSIN WANTS A JOB.

Duke Manuel Mora of Spain Strikes Some Hard Luck in Chicago.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 14.—A King's cousin, a loyal American wife, who has cheerfully abandoned her dreams of court presentations and even of the life of softly-lighted and heavily-rugged studies, and a deserted house, with its rich furnishings, and four sacrificed motor cars form the elements of the tragedy of Senor Mora, second cousin to King Alfonso XIII of Spain. In Spanish official and court circles, Senor Manuel Mora, well known among Chicago musical people, is a Duke. He came to Chicago, and took a big house hoping to give music lessons. No pupils came, however, and now the Duke is broke.

After Another.

NEW ISSUE DEVELOPS.

German Designs in Latin America.

Revelations to be the Subject of Discussion in Executive Senate Sessions.

Kaiser's Bid for Nicaragua's Canal Route Much Higher than Ours.

Salvadoreans Protesting Against the Pact with this Government.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 14.—The revelations of Germany's designs upon the republics of the Western Hemisphere are to be the subject of extensive discussion in the executive session of the Senate.

It is probable that when the matter is taken up the Senate will call upon the President to furnish copies of all the reports and other documents bearing upon the activities of Germany in seeking to obtain footholds in Haiti, Nicaragua, Colombia, Paraguay, Chile and the Danish West Indies.

Secretary of State Lansing was asked today if he had supplied the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations with any of the documents disclosing the German plans to transgress the Monroe doctrine.

"If I had sent them any documents they would be confidential," he enigmatically replied.

Several Senators admitted today that the effort of Germany to obtain the interoceanic canal right of way and naval bases in Nicaragua have been discussed already in the Foreign Relations Committee. At one of the hearings on the Nicaragua treaty now pending in the Senate, the committee questioned a number of witnesses from Managua at great length concerning the German negotiations.

These witnesses stated that Germany offered $9,000,000 for the concessions, three times as much as the United States will pay if the pending treaty is ratified, and that the deal would have gone through had it not been frustrated by the last revolution.

The forthcoming discussion of the German designs in the executive sessions of the Senate will relate to the question that has been raised concerning the leases held by German interests at St. Thomas in the Danish West Indies. It has been suggested that possibly some of these leases are in contravention of the Lodge resolution, which was passed by the Senate to discourage such enterprises in the Western Hemisphere by the nationals of foreign powers. It was in this way that the United States prevented the Japanese from obtaining control of islands in the Pacific close to the Panama Canal. The theory of the Lodge resolution is that the United States will view as unfriendly the granting of concessions that might open way to an infringement of the Monroe doctrine.

ANOTHER VERSION.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—That Germany had offered Nicaragua a larger sum than the United States for an option on the Nicaraguan canal route was urged in the Senate today as an argument for early ratification of the pending treaty.

Several Senators said they had been informed during the course of the debate that Germany had long sought an option on the canal route; that efforts first were made soon after France undertook construction of a canal and had been renewed more recently. Members of the Foreign Relations Committee denied reports that there was any documentary evidence in possession of the committee on the subject.

"Of course, we have heard reports that Germany sought to obtain the Nicaraguan canal route," said Senator Stone, chairman of the committee. "Whether she offered $9,000,000 or $12,000,000 or $20,000,000 I do not know. We have no means of knowing. That Germany was actuated by the same motives in seeking this canal route that France had in the original Panama enterprise is apparent to every one."

Champions of the pending Nicaraguan treaty are said to have cited Germany's desires in urging its ratification. Nicaragua having agreed to accept the $3,000,000 offered by the United States for the canal option and naval base in Fonseca Bay.

Senator Stone said late today that he had agreed to defer asking for a vote on the treaty until next Thursday, several Democratic Senators having notified him that they could not be present until that time.

SALVADOREANS PROTEST.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN SALVADOR (Salvador) Feb. 14.—Protests by several municipalities of the Republic of Salvador against the pending treaty between the United States and Nicaragua before the United States Committee on Foreign Relations, have been sent to Senators Borah, Smith and Clarke, asking them to cast their votes against approval of the treaty. A message also voicing opposition to the proposed convention was sent to former Senator Root.

Similar action has been taken by

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Hungarian Actress Executed.

Sari Petrass,

Who, according to advices received by friends in Cleveland, O., has been put to death in Budapest as an English spy.

Fortunes of War.

BEAUTY AS AN AID TO THE WOMAN SPY.

Fascinating Actress is Put to Death Immediately After Court-martial in Budapest, According to Information Received by Wireless—Inveigled Important Military Secrets from High Army Officers.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CLEVELAND, Feb. 14.—Sari Petrass, the beautiful Hungarian actress, has been shot in Budapest as an English spy. This information was received via wireless today by residents of Cleveland who were personally acquainted with the famous actress.

She was put to death almost immediately after the court-martial found her guilty of using her beauty to inveigle military secrets from high army officers and communicating them to the British War Office by means of smuggling letters.

She fainted when the sentence was passed and was shot before she had completely regained consciousness. Until she was put to death the public was unaware that she was even a prisoner, and the official announcement of the execution caused a national shock. Miss Petrass was not only a reigning favorite of the Hungarian theater-goers, but of a family of famous Hungarian patriots.

When war was declared the actress was starring in "The Marriage Market," a Hungarian operetta, at Daly's Theater in London. She immediately returned to Budapest, but, instead of continuing on the stage, began an elaborate round of social activities. She gave ball after ball to military and naval officials.

Her letters to the British War Office, it is charged, were sent by way of Switzerland in the care of young army officers fascinated by her beauty.

Her arrest, court-martial and execution were conducted with the utmost secrecy. She denied all charges, but was confronted by several of her letters, which were said to have been turned over to the authorities by the jealous officers. Then she broke down and confessed.

Miss Petrass was the niece of Countess Ilka Kinszky. She was graduated from the Academy of Szidi Rakosy, and almost immediately won popular favor at the Kiraly Szinhaz, the largest operetta theater in Hungary. Count Paul Eszterhazy, recently killed on the battlefield, was said to have been engaged to her.

Nefarious.

ANTI-CLERICAL "REDS" IN GIGANTIC CONSPIRACY.

Holocaust of Sacred Places and Public Institutions Their Aim.

Wholesale Slaughter of the Clergy Said to be Included in the Hellish Scheme of the Men Back of the Effort to Poison Archbishop Mundelein and His Guests—Fifty Houses of Worship Already Destroyed.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 14.—Almost sublime in its proportions, a plot of anarchists was unfolded tonight that proposed a veritable holocaust of the churches, public institutions and the clergy.

In the effects of John Allegrini, anarchist confidant of Jean Crones, alleged poisoner of Archbishop Mundelein's banquet, were found letters that plan crimes surpassing in their magnitude the wildest dreams of a Borgia and reduce the mere poisoning of 300 persons to insignificance.

Already, according to Deputy Schuettler, fires, totally destructive and partially successful, have attacked more than fifty churches in Chicago alone.

ANTI-CLERICAL "DESTROYERS."

The existence of an anti-clerical organization of "destroyers" is regarded as certain by Chief Healey, Capt. Nicholas Hunt of the detective bureau and Deputy Schuettler, who tonight completed the study of translations of Allegrini's letters.

Allegrini has been formally arrested and charged with conspiracy to commit murder. Previous to his formal detention he was sent in close confinement after being taken into custody on Saturday.

The police were guarded in making public the contents of Allegrini's correspondence. But portions disclose the fact that both he and Crones were members of a committee of fifteen who are directors of the tremendous conspiracy.

MARKED FOR DESTRUCTION.

Plans and specifications indicated that huge Chicago buildings were marked for early destruction. The People's Gas Light and Coke Company building at Michigan avenue and Adams street, Capt. Hunt believes, would have been torn from its foundations but for the discovery of the plot.

Another ground plat included a sketch of the Union League Club, the Federal Building and the Grace Hotel. The attempt to wreck St. Patrick's Roman Catholic Church in New York City recently is believed by Capt. Hunt to be a part of the plot.

Detective Sergeant Paul Riccio, who made translations of the letters, made the deduction that certain of the ringleaders in the gigantic conspiracy have headquarters in Rome, in the very shadow of the Vatican.

Indeed, some of the carefully-worded sentences indicated that Rome, because of the extreme caution of the Vatican guard, was not well suited to the purposes of the plotters. For this reason America was chosen.

THE DETAILS.

Several of the letters are detailed in their reference to engines of destruction. While there are explosives suited to the demolition of whole buildings, there are others designed for more particular work. For instance there are small bombs for the murder of policemen and ones of larger caliber for the killing of crowds.

One bomb in particular is recommended for its integrity when thrown into a throng of religious people leaving church. It is suggested that it be thrown into their midst when they are walking away from church and discussing the sermon. The picture of mangled bodies, bleeding forms and the sound of death cries seemed to present a pleasing effect to the writer.

In another place the writer explained that another form of bomb was suitable for throwing at a policeman. It would tear him to pieces and the thrower might walk on, smoking his cigar and in utter indifference to the shock he had producer.

"DEAR ALLEGRINI."

One letter dated Chicago, March 24, 1913, was addressed to "Dear Allegrini." Another was dated "Salida, Colo., September 18," and was addressed to "Dear Frank." It was signed "Joseph Folallidini."

The first of the letters, unaddressed and unsigned, goes into details of a bomb invention by the writer.

"This," says the letter, "will be a fine thing to throw among a lot of religious people when they go out dressed in their best clothes on the boulevards to talk the sermon over."

The second letter mentioned the receipt of a letter from Allegrini.

"I read your letter and am glad you are taking interest," it said. "But I will recommend you to be careful with your pals because there may be some traitors among them who cannot tell a lie to fool justice."

The third letter, which was written from Salida, said: "I have sent your trunk. Things are pretty bad here. The strike is pretty hot, but your trunk was in good hands all the time. That dirty ——— Marchi has made a report that you (blank space) and they are looking for you and I beg you to be careful and let me know if you are in a safe place. I will let you know why when you write again. Let me know if you are going to Barre, Vt. Then you will give me (blank space.) Let us know something of what is doing over there. Mut Nicholson is working over here with Nic Miller and yesterday they fired Miller. I don't know the reason why. Perhaps the reason is that he wanted to kill Rizzi." This letter was signed "Folallidini."

The Piqua letter mentions a person named "Fornara" and speaks of the trunk containing "all those letters and papers" as having been under water for thirteen days. They were ruined by the water, the letter says.

The most of the letters were not made public. All, it was said, showed blank spaces which apparently were understood by the correspondents.

Several maps and drawings were found. They were said to indicate that the plotters had designs on the People's Gas Light and Coke Building of Chicago, and other costly structures. Capt. Hunt expressed the opinion that the attempt to wreck St. Patrick's Roman Catholic Church in New York some time ago probably was a part of the general plot of the anarchists.

After reading the translations, Capt. Hunt sent telegrams to Nashville, Tenn.; Salida, Colo.; St. Paul and St. Louis, asking that search be made for Crones. Allegrini, a friend of Crones, when asked concerning the letters, said that only three of them were his. He denied that he was an anarchist or implicated in any illegal plots.

POLICE KNOW THE NAMES.

The names of the committee of fifteen are said to be in the hands of the police and detectives were sent out tonight to make arrests. It is expected that those of the members in Chicago will be under arrest by this afternoon.

Late in the afternoon the police were informed that Crones might be found in the vicinity of Morgan and Van Buren streets. Detectives were sent there to make a round of the boarding-houses, but nothing developed.

Photographs of various buildings, including the People's Gas Light and Coke Company, and a number of churches the names of which are withheld, were taken with the letters. The references in the letters which are considered by Capt. Hunt to be valuable in tracing the conspirators were withheld.

Allegrini, who all along has maintained the utmost unconcern in the matter of the plot to destroy 300 guests at the banquet to Archbishop Mundelein at the University Club, continued his attitude tonight. He continued to insist that he knew nothing of Crones's designs on life and property. He said he was merely a friend of the alleged poisoner.

Tonight he was asked again about Crones's activities.

"I know nothing about him," he replied with stolid indifference.

The letters taken from his trunk were shown to him with the explanation that a translation had been obtained. He shrugged his shoulders and turned away from the detectives.

Important in the events leading to the translation of the letters are the writings that bring in the name of Mrs. Sophie Bresci. Mrs. Bresci is the widow of the assassin of the late King Humbert of Italy. Allegrini admitted that he had been interested in the collection of a relief fund for Mrs. Bresci, but the police think that both Crones and Allegrini may have guilty knowledge of the anarchist plot that ended in the assassination of Humbert.

The translations of the letters was made by Detective Sergeant Riccio, who spent most of the evening over them. No information would be given as to who were the writers or to whom they are addressed. It is believed that Capt. Hunt is keeping this information secret for the purpose of aiding in arrests.

Detective Riccio says the writings are frequently interspersed with dashes and miniature sketches which are thought to indicate tools for making bombs and also the bombs themselves.

THE WORLD'S NEWS IN THE HEART OF IT IN TODAY'S TIMES.

The Foremost Events of Yesterday: (1) Anarchist Plot Against the Churches. (2) Mexico. (3) Wilson's Announcement of His Candidacy. (4) The Cold Wave on the Atlantic Coast. (5) The Nicaraguan Treaty. (6) Congress. (7) The Panama Religious Congress.

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THE CITY. A missing contractor, who left a grieving family, and 5 cents in the State's treasury, was charged with embezzlement.

A clue to the meaning of a strange note left by a man who killed himself for no purpose revealed by the finding of a never supposed widow.

Sugar manufacturers, in convention, declared free-listing will kill a $100,000,000-a-year industry.

Charges of attempted extortion and blackmail were repeated by witnesses in a different proceedings against the District Attorney of Kern County.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. Ontario found the most exciting day of its history yesterday when a fight among Socialists and a citrus election quarrel endangered matters.

A Methodist bishop is hurrying to Pasadena from Chicago to reach the bedside of his dying son in time.

Union Labor Party chiefs heard the long-expected City Auditor's report on the condition of the city.

PACIFIC SLOPE. More indictments are returned in the bomb plot cases.

TO READERS: It is a mistake to jump at the wrong conclusion that all, or the more important news is to be found on the first page. Consult the Index and the Summary, then read the entire paper and you get all the news of the day.

Taxpayers protest at arrogance of State officials.

Germans in Washington organize for next campaign.

GENERAL EASTERN. Chicago police fail to locate missing anarchist chef in poison case.

President Menken of Security League says Secretary Daniels is unfit for his position.

WASHINGTON. Senator Works declares war on public health board.

German designs in Latin America subject of inquiry in the Senate.

MEXICO. Bandits operating near Tuxpan oil fields routed.

New raids on Sonora cities planned by Villa.

Villa is reported raising a new army near Casas Grandes.

THE GREAT WAR. The Situation to Date: Neutral peace congress urged by the Socialists.

Artillery combats on the Italian front.

Besieged British army holding Kut.

Italian diplomat found dead.

COMMENT ON THE SITUATION.

The whole western fighting front is the scene of engagements. At some points the big guns have been roaring incessantly for days, the infantry have been engaged in hand-to-hand struggles, grenade fighting and mining operations have played a prominent part in the battles, while airmen have fought each other above the lines and have been cannonaded from below by the anti-aircraft guns. The Germans followed up their recent success in Champagne by the capture of an additional half-mile of trenches around Tahure, in that district, and their artillery bombardments in the neighborhood of Massiges and Navarin have been answered in kind by the French. To the north of Soissons, around Terny, and along the River Aisne the Germans started an infantry attack, but the French put it down. To the south of the Somme the Germans endeavored to surround outpost trenches, but desisted under heavy fire of the French.

Villa is reported to be reorganizing his forces at Casas Grandes for new raids into Sonora. The bandit is said to have enlisted some of the Cientificos under his pirate banner. The rebels have been defeated at Tuxpan in the oil district. The increased tax levy by the de facto government on mining property must be paid by July 1.

Enterprise.

CALIFORNIA FRUIT FOR SOUTH AMERICA.

ARRANGEMENTS MAKING TO EXTEND MARKETS.

Agents will be Placed in Buenos Aires and Other Cities, as Well as Havana, While the Northern Trade will be Pushed into New Canadian Territory.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 14.—The California Fruit Distributors' Association is planning to extend the deciduous fruit market of the State to Central and South America, the West Indies and to cover more completely the entire northern continent, according to an announcement made here today by Charles E. Virden, general manager, on his return here from the East today.

This action is taken by the distributors, who handle practically all the deciduous fruit shipments from California, to prepare for the tremendous increase in shipments which the heavy plantings of all varieties of fruit in the past four years have made almost certain.

The first step in the South American campaign will be the installation of an agent in Buenos Aires, Argentine. Another agent will be installed in Cuba, where it is hoped to develop a large trade, and as fast as possible the distributors will be represented in all the large Central and South American cities.

In North America, also, every effort will be made to widen the market for California fruit. New Canadian territory will be developed, and cities hitherto neglected in the United States will be given a chance to taste the glories of California fruits.

SCHOONER IS WRECKED.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

LEWIS (Del.) Feb. 14. — The schooner Abbie H. Gheen was blown ashore on Hog Island, Va., and wrecked during last night's storm. The crew of seven men were rescued.

YEOMAN OFFICERS RESIGN.

All But One of the National Leaders Leave Positions.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

AURORA (Ill.) Feb. 14.—All but one of the five national officers of the Yeomen of America, a fraternal insurance society, with headquarters at Aurora, resigned today. A charge of extravagance is made against the present rule of the Yeoman, but State insurance auditors who have been going over the books say that the order appears sound.

Submarine Warfare.

IMPENDING SETTLEMENT OF THE LUSITANIA CASE.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

BERLIN, (via London, Feb. 14.)—According to brief statements in the Lokal Anzeiger and the Tageblatt, the communication received Friday from Count von Bernstorff, the German Ambassador at Washington, gives promise of an impending settlement of the Lusitania controversy, the German and American standpoints, it is asserted, having been brought materially nearer to each other.

The Lokal Anzeiger declares that the only thing now necessary is to embody the results of the negotiations in a new note "after which the whole matter may be regarded as settled."

The Tageblatt, more cautious, says that an agreement has been reached on the main point at issue, but that probably some time will elapse before a formula is definitely fixed.

The Associated Press is assured in a high quarter that the situation is very favorable, and that perhaps it will be possible to conclude the negotiations in the next German note.

Active Factor.

GERMANS IN NORTHWEST ORGANIZE FOR CAMPAIGN.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SPOKANE (Wash.) Feb. 14.—Die Deutsche Gesellschaft, a German-American society recently organized here for political and social purposes, will be an active factor in the fall elections, according to prominent members of the organization. The society has at present 100 members, but expects to enroll 5000 members in Eastern Washington.

"While we have not yet made known our political views, we all have our own private opinions regarding the present national administration," said Matt Baungartner, treasurer of the organization. He said the local society is affiliated with the national German-American societies.

Political.

WILSON TO RUN A SECOND TIME

President Makes Announcement to Ohio Democrats.

Is Careful to Say He will "Not Enter Any Contest."

Declares His Nomination is Entirely up to Voters.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—President Wilson today consented formally for the first time to the use of his name as a Presidential candidate in the coming campaign. At the same time he declared he "was entirely unwilling to enter into any contest" for renomination.

This definition of the President's attitude, in line with the plans of his political associates, is expected to bring into the open the campaign being made in his favor throughout the country.

Mr. Wilson's declaration was made in a letter to the Ohio Secretary of State, who had written that candidates for delegates from that State to the national conventions must signify their choices for President by February 25, and that no Presidential candidates can be named in that connection without their consent.

In several other States where no such requirements are imposed Mr. Wilson's name already has been placed on primary ballots, and his friends generally have taken it for granted that he would be a candidate if convinced there was any considerable popular demand for it.

WILSON'S ANNOUNCEMENT.

The President was formally notified of the requirements of the Ohio law last week and today he wrote Charles O. Hildebrant, Secretary of State of Ohio, as follows:

"I am inclosing to you a letter, the occasion of which, I dare say, will be quite obvious. Friends in Ohio have called my attention to section 4954 of the general code of Ohio, as amended in 1914, with regards to primary elections, and have requested that I indicate my willingness to have my name used.

"I accordingly take the liberty of sending you the inclosed letter, as formal permission under the statute."

The letter the President inclosed was as follows:

"While I am entirely unwilling to enter into any contest for the Presidential nomination of the Democratic party I am willing to permit the use of my name that the Democrats of Ohio may make known their preference in regard to that nomination.

"In order, therefore, to satisfy the technical requirements of the statutes of the State of Ohio, I hereby consent to the use of my name as a candidate for the Presidency by any candidate who seeks to be elected as a delegate to the National Democratic Convention, which is to assemble in June next."

UP TO THE VOTERS.

The President takes the position that the voters will have to determine whether he will make the race for the Presidency in 1916 as the Democratic candidate. In a letter written to A. Mitchell Palmer, then a Representative from Pennsylvania, before his inauguration, Mr. Wilson made it plain that he would be a candidate again only if the Democratic vpters desired it.

Political advisers and friends of the President have taken it for granted for months that he would be the nominee of his party, and have made their plans accordingly. The National Democratic Committee has prepared all the campaign material with the idea that he would be the party candidate.

The formal announcement today is expected by Democratic leaders to clarify the political situation throughout the country. Supporters of the President, they said today, now would be able to work for him more openly.

METCALFE CHALLENGES BRYAN TO DEBATE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

OMAHA (Neb.) Feb. 14.—Richard L. Metcalfe, former Governor of the Panama Canal Zone, and now publisher of a weekly paper in Omaha, today sent a telegram to William J. Bryan at Miami, Fla., suggesting a joint debate of the question of preparedness before the voters of Nebraska. It has been stated in the press that Mr. Bryan intends to deliver in Nebraska between March 20 and the date of the State primaries, April 18, a series of speeches in opposition to the administration preparedness policy. Mr. Metcalfe asks that six joint debates be arranged, one in each Congressional district of the State, during this time.

Mr. Metcalfe has been intimately associated with Mr. Bryan in journalistic and political work for twenty-eight years. Mr. Metcalfe declares in his letter that he speaks "with no official authority or factional prejudice," but declares he believes he represents a large part of the Democratic rank and file of the State.

CITE OFFICIALS FOR CONTEMPT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 14.—Mayor James Rolph, Jr., the three members of the Board of Public Works, and Thomas A. Cashin, superintendent of the Municipal Railway, were cited today to answer contempt charges Friday in the Superior Court, in compliance with an order of the California Supreme Court of February 9, holding that an injunction granted July 7, 1915, had been violated ever since by operation of two municipal car lines over the Market street tracks of the United Railroads.

The same officials were acquitted several months ago on the same charges, but Supt. Cashin was fined $250 for violating a transfer order. At that time it was held by the Superior Court that the injunction was stayed by an appeal.

The United Railroads has pending a motion for the appointment of a posse to enforce physically the court's order.

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MORE TROUBLE FOR HOUSEWIFE.

Washboards Marked up Fifty to Seventy-five Cents a Dozen.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

PORTLAND, Feb. 14.—More troubles for the good housewife. Today Portland housewives spurned a 25 per cent. advance in the price of washboards. These range from 50 cents to 75 cents a dozen. The advance is occasioned by the higher cost of raw materials. Zinc, brass and glass have been going up for a long time. These are the three principal things used in the manufacture of washboards. Fortunately for the public all factories have been pretty well supplied for months but lately have been obliged to go into the open market for additional stocks and as a result have been forced to pay prices greatly in excess of those asked when they last bought.

Educational.

TUBERCULOSIS SCHOOL OPENED.

SCIENTISTS TAKE POST-GRADUATE COURSE AT SARANAC.

Men of the Most Advanced Knowledge in Fighting the Disease Have Volunteered to Lecture to the Body of Specialists Who are to be Trained.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Scientists of national prominence in the study and treatment of tuberculosis, it was announced here tonight, will lecture at a school to be established at Saranac Lake, N. Y., in May for the education of physicians and research workers who wish to enlist in the campaign to control tuberculosis. The course of study, in line with the plans worked out by the late Dr. Edward L. Trudeau, will be in the nature of post-graduate work for specialists, such as those who now treat heart, eye, ear and nose and throat complaints, and for social workers interested in relieving sufferers from the disease of tuberculosis.

Among those who have agreed to deliver lectures at the new school are Prof. W. H. Welch of Johns Hopkins University; Dr. H. M. Biggs, New York State Health Commissioner; Dr. Theobald Smith, director of Rockefeller Institute; Dr. V. Y. Bowditch, medical director Sharon Sanatorium; Dr. E. H. Goslin, assistant professor of medicine, Harvard University; Dr. H. R. M. Landis, director Henry Phipps Institute; Dr. James Alexander Miller, chief of tuberculosis clinics, New York City; Dr. B. H. Bishop, secretary Anti-Tuberculosis League, Cleveland; and Dr. H. Gideon Wells, professor of pathology, University of Chicago.

The natural resources of Saranac Lake are said to afford excellent opportunity for research, and it is believed that an army of tuberculosis specialists will be graduated especially trained to deal with the disease.

Many advances, it is said, in the knowledge of tuberculosis, have created an ever-increasing demand for opportunities for special advanced study, and every facility in the way of modern apparatus will be at the disposal of the physician-students at the new school.

The founding of the new school is regarded as the logical growth of the plan originated by Dr. Trudeau that fresh air was an aid to the treatment of the disease rather than a menace to the life of the patient.

Dr. Trudeau established a cottage community at Saranac Lake for the treatment of tubercular patients. After this work had been thoroughly organized, he took up in a thorough scientific manner the study of tuberculosis. The opening of a school for the education of tuberculosis specialists is the next step in the general plan for fighting not only tuberculosis, but the conditions that permit it to exist.

AFTER LYMAN'S ASSETS.

Court Trying to Find Something Tangible Left by Putnam Concern.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Subpoenas were issued by the United States District Court here today for sixteen persons in connection with the bankruptcy proceedings against John H. Putnam & Co., the head of which, J. Grant Putnam, is alleged to have disappeared with many thousands of dollars, obtained by an illegal use of the mails in the sale of oil stocks.

John L. Lyttle, receiver for Putnam & Co., in an affidavit made today, states that he believes assets of the bankrupt firm have been concealed and removed to other jurisdictions.

The subpoenas call for the appearance here of Lyman and employees of his company. Postoffice inspectors working on the case said today that more than $15,000 in checks, from all parts of the United States had come through the mails to Putnam & Co. since last Thursday, the day on which the firm collapsed and the alleged swindle made public.

NEW YORK PROPERTY VALUATIONS INGREASE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Figures prepared today by accountants of the city's finance department show that personal property here amounts to $369,000,000, an increase of $17,000,000 over the estimate made a year ago. The value of real estate is placed at $8,625,000,000, an increase of $97,000,000.

CALIFORNIA GIRL HONORED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

POUGHKEEPSIE (N. Y.) Feb. 14.—Announcements were made tonight of the honor girls in this year's senior class at Vassar College. Among them is Phoebe Briggs, of Sacramento, Cal.

Vandiver a Candidate.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 14.—W. D. Vandiver, in charge of the United States subtreasury at St. Louis and a former member of Congress, today announced his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for Governor of Missouri.

Labor.

ASSERTS WOMEN LAUGH AT LAWS.

Court Blames Social Leaders for Trouble at Strikes.

Says Jail Sentences Alone will Stop Lawlessness.

However, He Imposes Fine and Turns Rioters Loose.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Encouragement by society women, added to the fact that their fines are paid by their union, leads women strikers in New York City to laugh at the police and hold the laws and courts in contempt asserted Police Magistrate Murphy today when three men and seven women needlework strikers were arraigned before him charged with disorderly conduct. The ten strikers were arrested while on picket duty in connection with their strike which already has thrown out of employment 40,000 men and women, and which threatens to spread to the shirt makers' union with 60,000 members.

"I am becoming tired of the lawlessness of these strikers, especially the women," Magistrate Murphy added, "and in my opinion nothing but a prison sentence will make them realize that they must obey the laws of the country."

The magistrate, however, imposed fines of $10 each on the strikers.

At a meeting late today of several thousand strikers, "Mother" Jones, who is known throughout the country for her active interest in labor, was the principal speaker. She urged the strikers to remain out until their demands were met and never to cease working for the vote for women.

GARMENT WORKERS RETURN.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

BOSTON, Feb. 14.—Twelve hundred of the 1500 garment workers in this city who were out on strike last week returned to work today. Strike leaders said their demands had been granted.

KING OF BULGARIA ARRIVES IN VIENNA.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

AMSTERDAM, (via London, Feb. 14, 6:15 p.m.)—A dispatch received here from Vienna says King Ferdinand of Bulgaria has arrived there. He was received at the station by the Archduke Charles Francis Joseph, heir apparent to the throne.

A CABINET MINISTER RECEIVES COL HOUSE.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Feb. 14, 5:55 a.m.—Col. E. M. House, President Wilson's personal representative, spent the week end in London meeting various prominent personages, among whom was at least one Cabinet Minister.

SPARE THE BIRDS AND THE FLOWERS.

Campaign to Enlist the School Youth and Also the Grown-ups.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 14.—In the hope of reaching the heart of the youth with the slingshot and air gun and to urge the grown-ups to have more care for trees, shrubs and flowers, State Superintendent of Public Instruction Edward Hyatt has sent to the State Printer manuscript for a bird and arbor bulletin which he will distribute among the schools of the State. It is proposed to reach the 525,000 youths in the schools of the State, that a great army of fighters may be enlisted for a great arbor and bird campaign which is to be one of the features of the summer months in school circles.

Four Dead.

(Continued from First Page.)

row, when the temperature will slowly begin to rise, according to the Weather Bureau.

The coldest weather of the year was experienced in Washington today. Six deg. above zero was the low mark.

COLD WEATHER RECORDS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

DETROIT (Mich.) Feb. 14.—Cold weather records for this winter were made throughout Michigan last night. The lowest official mark recorded was 14 deg. below zero at Lansing. Flint reported 28 deg. below, and Bay City's thermometers recorded 23 deg.

RELIEF PROMISED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—One of the winter's severest cold waves gripped the Atlantic States today. The northern seaboard suffered most, many points reporting new low temperature records for the season, but there was a decided drop as far south as Northern Florida. The coldest place was Canton, N. Y., with 38 deg. below zero. At Pensacola the mercury reached the freezing point.

Relief by tomorrow was forecast by the Weather Bureau for virtually all of the cold-wave area.

MRS. DOGGETT CAPABLE.

Court Declares San Diego Woman Able to Handle Own Affairs.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 14.—Judge Henry Horner in the probate court today set aside the verdict of a jury which found Mrs. Eugenia S. Doggett to be a "feebleminded and distracted person," and incapable of managing her million-dollar estate. Mrs. Doggett agreed to pay the costs and expenses of the suit, which was instituted against her by her brother, William L. Doggett, who sought to have a conservator appointed.

The court's action leaves Mrs. Doggett free to assert her claim that she is a resident of San Diego, Cal., and as such not under the jurisdiction of the Illinois courts.

Delicate.

AUSTRIANS DENY INSULT TO THE HUNGARIAN FLAG.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

BUDAPEST, (via London) Feb. 14.—Count Michael Karolyi, president of the Hungarian Independent party, in the Diet today interpellated the government concerning a major having ordered a company of Hungarians to remove the Hungarian flag during a march.

Count Tisza, the Hungarian Premier, in answering the interpellation, said the incident was explainable on other grounds that had been described. There could be no talk of an insult to the Hungarian flag, as the Austro-Hungarian War Minister had by express order permitted the use of the flag by the army with, however, the single proviso that it must not be larger than the regimental flag.

The Premier rebuked Count Karolyi for his insinuation that the higher military authorities were prejudiced against the Hungarian flag, and read a letter from Field Marshal Archduke Frederick, commander-in-chief of the Austrian army, praising the sacrificial spirit and bravery of the Hungarian troops. Count Tisza also said that he h lately had an opportunity to lear that Emperor Francis-Joseph was filled with joy over the heroic deeds of the Hungarian nation, but was grieved when he learned that ce tain misunderstandings had arisen

Advancing.

GERMANS WIN VICTORY OVER FRENCH AT TAHURE.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

BERLIN, Feb. 14 (via London.)—Important gains for the Germans in two engagements were reported today by the War Office. Northwest of Tahure, positions over a front of 700 yards were captured, seven officers and 300 men being made prisoners. In the region of Anersept, near the French frontier, allied positions 400 yards long were captured.

Today's official statement says:

"Western theater: Lively artillery fights have continued over a great portion of the front. During the night the enemy again directed his fire on Lens and Llevin.

"South of the Somme stubborn fights developed around an advanced and extending saphead of our position. We gave up a surrounding attack on outpost trenches.

"In the Champagne enemy counter-attacks made south of St. Marie were repulsed.

"Northwest of Tahure we wrested from the French by a storming attack a position 799 meters in extent. The enemy left seven officers and more than 300 prisoners in our hands, and lost three machine guns and five mine throwers.

"South of Lusse, east of St. Die, we destroyed by a mine explosion a portion of one of the enemy's positions.

"Near Anersept, near the French frontier, our troops took French trenches over a front about 400 yards in extent and repulsed night counter-attacks. We took a few dozen prisoners, two machine guns and three mine throwers.

"Our aeroplane squadron attacked railway establishments and military encampments of the enemy on the northern portion of the front."

Paris Communique.

VIOLENT BOMBARDMENTS ALONG THE FRENCH LINES.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, (via London, Feb. 14, 11:35 p.m.)—The following official communication was issued tonight:

"In Belgium our artillery exploded a munitions depot to the north of Boesinghe.

"To the north of Soissons last evening, after a spirited bombardment, enemy infantry attempted to debouch by the road from Terny and by the right bank of the Aisne, but was stopped by our curtain of fire and rifle fire.

"On the plateau of Vauclerc our artillery effectively shelled a salient of the German line.

"In Champagne there were very intense artillery actions in the regions of Tahure, Massiges and Navarin, but the infantry did not attack.

"In Upper Alsace, to the east of Seppois, a violent bombardment was carried out by the enemy on the advanced trenches which we had retaken from him. In the course of the night we had evacuated these emplacements, which were entirely shattered.

"In the same region we took under our fire enemy reinforcements which were endeavoring to advance in small parties from Niederlarg."

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Transformation.

WILSON A MIXER SINCE MARRIAGE.

Personality of the New Wife is a Factor in Politics.

Former Recluse of the White House a Changed Man.

Senatorial Elevator Privilege Spurned by Californians.

BY HARRY CARR.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 8.—If the Democrats want to accomplish a real political stroke, they ought to ditch Dr. Wilson and nominate his wife for President.

She that was Mrs. Galt would make a better job of it. Marrying her is realized by cold-blooded politicians as an event of immense political advantage to Dr. Wilson. For sentimental reasons, it did not seem so at the time, but it is proving to be so.

Mrs. Wilson is a forehanded individual—literally so. Where the wives of other Presidents have been content at receptions to greet the folks with a frozen smile and a bow, Mrs. Wilson gives each one an honest businesslike grip.

Dr. Wilson is a natural recluse. When he first came to the White House he was like a new policeman. He was resolved to be sweet to the common people. He made up his mind to go speak all his messages to Congress instead of sending written messages, and he resolved to speak directly to the people's forum by summoning the newspaper correspondents twice a week to discuss the policy of the administration.

But after a few weeks the people's forum began to languish. The President was so evasive and indirect that the correspondents refused to go any more. His audience dwindled to such an extent that Dr. Wilson discontinued the biweekly interviews as a matter of pride and proceeded to retire into himself.

Until his marriage to Mrs. Galt the Wilson family was one of the least popular of any that have lived at the White House. Huddled in by himself—seeing nothing and hearing nothing of the great world outside—Dr. Wilson was unconscious of the gathering storm.

Nobody could give him any suggestions. He took advice from nobody. He listened to nobody. He locked himself in his closet and proceeded to run the United States.

Mrs. Galt, however, was a keen, remarkably-alert business woman. Immediately after her marriage a change came over the President. He made one frantic bound out of the front door of the White House and proceeded to "mix" with a vengeance.

I can't tell this little incident about Senator John Sharp Williams without telling about the elevators in the Capitol.

The United States Senators have a private ring—three short, quick jumps of the bell. No matter where the elevator is or where it is going, this bell has to be answered at once.

You may be on the way up between the third and fourth floor, but when this bell rings from the basement the car must stop at once and return. You may be due to get out at the second floor, but if a Senator is on board who wants to get out at the fourth the car shoots past your floor and goes at once to his destination.

It is a bit of insufferable snobbishness that few Senators take advantage of. I am glad to say that both our Senators, Works and Phelan, have ordered the elevator men to pay no attention to this Senatorial privilege.

I may remark by way of parenthesis that Senator Reed of Missouri, who, to my mind, is a tiresome person in every way, was beautifully "called" for claiming this boorish privilege the other day.

Two or three untitled gentlemen and Senator Reed were in the car, and the elevator shot up past the floor at which the others wished to get out. "I can't stop," murmured the elevator man. "The Senator must go at once to his floor."

"Oh, that's all right," said one of the men in the car. "Don't mind us; we are only voters." Senator Reed left the car white with fury.

But this is getting a long way from John Sharpe Williams.

The other day, Senator Williams, Senator Knute Nelson and two or three other Senators were waiting for the elevator. Also waiting was a tiny little girl not more than 2 years old, with her father. They were tourists going through the Capitol. The little girl watched the Senators with solemn, big-eyed dignity.

When the car came some of the Senators stepped forward as though to enter, but Senator Williams checked them with a gesture.

"Go ahead, little lady," he said gently. "Ladies enter before Senators." And all the Senators stook back while the little lady went into the elevator.

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Before this session of Congress is over the world's record for the 100-yard dash is likely to be broken by Senator Du Pont.

The Senator is the head of the great Du Pont powder works, which is the theme of all the orators who wish to explain how all the wars are brought about by wicked powder and armor makers. Most of the orators are in the House, but a few are in the Senate.

Their remarks are somewhat painful for Senator Du Pont.

At the first of the session he tried to appear elaborately unconscious. He would survey his fingernails, glance at the letters on his desk, look bored and finally stroll out into the cloakroom.

But he no longer stands on the order of his going. He makes one grand sprint. They say on the pink sheet that Howard Drew, the negro sprinter, is the quickest man in the world on the start.

But I would like to see Senator Du Pont lined up with Drew and just whisper "powder trust" into his ear. He would be in the cloakroom before Drew could catch his breath.

TO SOLVE CHICAGO'S BUGABOO.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 14.—William Barclay Parsons and Robert Ridgway of New York and Bion J. Arnold of Chicago, engineering experts, signed a contract with the city today to sign a contract with the traction consolidation and the city. The report, which is ready in six months, will be a general survey of transportation conditions in Chicago. Under the contract the investigators are to be paid $30,000 each.

BULGARIANS OCCUPY A TOWN IN ALBANIA

[BY WIRELESS AND A. P.]

BERLIN, (via wireless to Sayville, N. Y., Feb. 14.)—The Overseas News Agency today gave out the following for publication:

"The Bulgarian headquarters report on February 13, says the Bulgarian troops on Saturday occupied Elbassan, Albania. The town was decorated in bunting and the troops were very warmly received by the population."

Unofficial advices on February 9 said the Austrians and Bulgarians had joined hands in Central Albania and had occupied Elbassan.

Elbassan is situated about four miles southeast of Scutari.

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Women, always the worst sufferers from constipation, have been the strongest advocates of the remedy called Ameroil, which consists simply of a highly refined petroleum or paraffine.

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EITHER HOUSTON OR AN UNNAMED.

Choice for Secretary of War is Considerably Narrowed.

One Thing is Certain, No Army Man will Land Place.

Lorimer Harrison and "Uncle Joe" Harmon Mentioned.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—While President Wilson has not selected a new Secretary of War, it was indicated tonight that the choice lay between Secretary Houston of the Department of Agriculture and several men outside of official life.

The President is carefully canvassing the qualifications of all the men in whom he considers available. It is said that, although he may reach a decision at any time, it is probable no nomination will be made for several days.

Among the men outside of official life understood to be under consideration are Carter Harrison, former Mayor of Chicago, and Judson Harmon, former Governor of Ohio. Assistant Secretary Peters of the Treasury Department, Secretary Lane of the Interior Department and Counselor Polk of the State Department also have been suggested. Carl Vrooman, Assistant Secretary of Agriculture, is said to be a possible successor to Secretary Houston should the latter be called to the War Department.

The President has received a large number of political indorsements for various men, but officials said the selection will not be made upon political grounds.

No one in a position to know thinks that the President will not name an army man for the Cabinet vacancy. He would eliminate Maj.-Gen. Leonard Wood, who has been recommended for the place.

HADLEY OF MISSOURI IS OUT OF THE RACE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

JOPLIN CITY (Mo.) Feb. 14.—Formal announcement that Herbert S. Hadley would not continue his campaign for the Republican nomination for United States Senator was made here tonight on behalf of Mr. Hadley.

CONGRESSIONAL CLUB ENTERTAINS PRESIDENT

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—President and Mrs. Wilson were the honor guests tonight at a reception given by the Congressional Club, composed of wives of government officials and wives of the Senate and House.

WASTE BASKET CANARY'S CAGE.

Bird Flies in Window and is Captured by a Clerk in Railroad Office.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

PORTLAND, Feb. 14.—A canary flying through the narrow space of a partly-opened window in the office of Traffic Manager W. D. Skinner of the Spokane, Portland and Seattle Railway system, caused commotion today in the office force in the effort to make the bird captive. As soon as he had taken in the situation, Chief Clerk Robert W. Pickard put a wire waste basket into service as a cage. The inverted basket was left on a table and soon the canary started warbling a melody as if to say it felt at home. Pickard regarded the capture as an omen of good luck and at once planned to invest in a cage and bird seed.

WHAT WILSON FEARS.

Roosevelt Says Himself and the Kaiser President's Main Troubles.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 14.—The last word from Oyster Bay was brought to Washington today by Sam R. Sells of Tennessee, a Republican member of the House, who with Roy O. Woodruff, former Progressive Representative from Michigan, called on Col. Roosevelt just before the latter sailed for Bermuda. Col. Roosevelt is quoted as saying, according to the message brought to the members of the House:

"I am not for any particular Republican candidate for the Presidency, but I am against the re-election of Woodrow Wilson. He has deadened the conscience of the American people by his foreign policy. There are only two things he is afraid of; I am one and the Kaiser is the other."

MILITIA IN FAVOR, SAYS GEN. WOOD.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CAMBRIDGE (Mass.) Feb. 14.—Maj.-Gen. Leonard Wood, just returned from a trip to the south, told the Harvard College military battalion tonight that he had found sentiment there unanimously in favor of Federalizing the present State militia. President A. Lawrence Lowell again urged the undergraduates to join the summer training camps.

Pledged to Roosevelt.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SPOKANE (Wash.) Feb. 14.—State Senator R. A. Hutchinson announced himself today a candidate for election as delegate to the Republican State Convention, pledged to Theodore Roosevelt.

Liberality.

SEVENTY-FIVE THOUSAND FOR LOS ANGELES HARBOR

House Appropriation Bill Provides What Democrats Say is Enough to Continue the Work Already Begun—Only New Undertaking to be Voted Upon is the Widening of the East River Channel in New York.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—Details of the annual River and Harbor Appropriation Bill, as completed in the committee except for the administration project to deepen the East River channel in New York harbor, became known tonight. The measure, aggregating $40,000,000, will be brought up at a committee meeting tomorrow for report to the House, with the New York project the only one pending. It carries not only new appropriations for every section, but numerous authorizations for preliminary examinations and surveys at other places.

All of the actual appropriations proposed are for the continuance of work and maintenance of projects previously authorized. If the committee does so tomorrow, as urged by President Wilson and the War and Navy departments, to add to the bill $700,000 to deepen the channel between the lower New York Bay and the Brooklyn navy yard, it will be the only new project reported to the House. The opposition to this project contends that Coenties Reef, them ain obstruction in the channel, already has been provided for.

Some of the principal items in the bill follow:

California—Oakland harbor, $106,500; San Pablo Bay, $105,500; Humboldt harbor and bay, $450,000; Los Angeles and San Francisco harbors, $75,000 and $15,000, respectively; Sacramento and Feather rivers, $115,000, together with $75,000 conditioned upon equal local contribution for carrying out recommendations of the California Debris Commission.

Oregon—Coos Bay, $70,000; Willamette River, above Portland, and Yamhill River, $47,000; Columbia and Lower Willamette rivers, below Portland, $360,000.

Oregon and Washington—Columbia River, $1,200,000.

Washington—Waterway connecting Puget Sound with Lakes Union and Washington, $348,000.

Hawaii—Honolulu, $106,800.

Hot.

WORKS DECLARES WAR ON PUBLIC HEALTH BOARD.

California Senator is Opposed to Wriggling Germs Being Shown in the Movies and Also is Against the Compulsory Physical Examination of Public School Children — Has Spirited Encounter with Surgeon-General Blue.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 14.—Senator Works has taken sharply to task the United States Department of Public Health and Surgeon-General Rupert Blue. He has also declared the exhibit showing wriggling germs of various diseases in the moving pictures and against the compulsory physical examination of school children.

At a meeting of the Senate Committee on Public Health this afternoon Senator Works occupied the entire session with a sharp cross-examination of Surgeon-General Blue. Senator Works charged that the department of public health is unrightfully doing work that should be done by the boards of health; is exceeding its authority in every way. Gen. Blue is president of the American Medical Association, which Senator Works has frequently asserted a perniciously active lobby which attempted to repress the activities of healing.

BUBONIC PLAGUE.

He asked Gen. Blue if he considered it right to accept the presidency of such a body while head of the United States health service. Gen. Blue said he could see no objections. He said the association had maintained a lobby at one time, but he considered it grossly unfair to assert that it was a political machine, although the department had spent very large sums in stamping out diseases in the different States. Blue said it was for checking such epidemics as bubonic plague in California by slaughtering the ground squirrels.

"How much did this squirrel hunt cost you?" asked Senator Works.

Gen. Blue said he could not say.

"Well, how many cases of infection from bubonic plague were ever discovered?"

Gen. Blue said there were eighteen in Contra Costa county, four in Alameda, fourteen in San Benito, and four in Santa Clara.

He insisted that school children ought to have a medical examination and stoutly stuck up for the movies that showed wriggling germs.

"In spite of the suggestions they bring to children?" asked Senator Works.

"I decline to be led into a discussion of suggestive therapeutics," said Gen. Blue.

Sixty-fourth Congress.

ARMY AND NAVY PREPAREDNESS.

Active Work in Both Branches to Safeguard the Nation.

Rear-Admiral Would Abandon Present Type Submarine.

A Mere Boy Supplies Officials with Data from Germany.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—While the House Naval Committee today continued its hearings on the navy appropriation bill, the military committees of both houses prepared to begin drafting the measures they will propose to strengthen the army. The military committees probably will begin daily sessions before the end of the week in an effort to hasten their work as President Wilson has urged.

Rear-Admiral Grant, the submarine commander, and the first sea duty officer to appear at the hearing told the House committee today that he believed the present type of American submarine should be abandoned and only large boats of at least 800 tons surface displacement be constructed in future. It was boats of this size, he said, which had done the most efficient work for the German navy in the present war. The admiral will be further examined tomorrow.

Capt. Josiah S. McKean, attached to the office of chief of operations as assistant for material, said that while he was inclined to agree with Admiral Grant as to the greater value of larger submarines other officers had different views. Chairman Padgett explained that Rear-Admiral Benson, chief of operations, was one of these and would explain his position to the committee later.

Capt. McKean revealed that much of the Navy Department's information about German submarines had come from an American boy who served for a time upon one of them in active service before he could establish his nationality and secure immunity from military duty.

The boy, whose name was not disclosed, returned to the United States as soon as he was at liberty, and proved to be a valuable source of information. While he did not go into details, Capt. McKean said experts of the navy had questioned the youth closely.

Representative Britten of Illinois asked Capt. McKean if the action of the department in contracting for sixteen additional small submarines two months ago was not ridiculous in the light of the information it then had as to the efficiency of larger craft.

"Characteristics of the ships are matters determined by the general board," Capt. McKean replied. He said he believed it had been thought best to get as many submarines as possible constructed quickly, and that Congress had fixed the limit of cost for the sixteen boats, thereby limiting their size. He pointed out also that for distances of 300 miles or less the small boat was fully as efficient if not more so than the 800-ton craft. They were imperative for shallow water work, he said.

Representative Britten pressed the witness as to what steps had been taken by the Navy Department to be ready to meet the emergency conditions which seemed to exist.

"We have made more real progress in real readiness," Capt. McKean said, "in the last two years than in any previous five-year period in my experience in the navy. I do not think I have ever known a time when everybody in the service from top to bottom was working as hard with their heads and hands to prepare the fleet for active service.

POINTED QUESTION.

At another point Representative Britten asked why the department had not attempted to speed up delivery of ships now under construction. McKean said this was a matter for the contractors and the department had little power. If the contractors were penalized, he said, Congress always revoked the sentence.

"I think your files will show, Mr. Britten," he said, "that no penalty has ever been imposed upon a contractor but that it was rebated sooner or later by act of Congress. They may have to wait fifteen years but they get it back."

Representative Padgett put into the record a report of the general board a year ago showing the relative fighting efficiency of various types of battleships. Taking the Delaware as a standard of 100 per cent., he said, the Oregon figures at 13 per cent. and the New York at 157 per cent. Capt. McKean said a report dealing with the whole subject of personnel and ship complements soon would be forthcoming from the Atlantic fleet and would answer all questions.

A supplemental estimate of $77,000 for the Naval Militia, making a total of $387,738 for that purpose compared with $250,000 appropriated last year, was submitted to Congress today by Secretary Daniels. The increase is to meet the greater mileage and transportation charges occasioned by changing the plans for the summer cruise of the naval militia the coming summer.

THE WEATHER ELSEWHERE.

Below-zero Temperatures Reported in Many Sections.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 14.—Points in New York State surpassed the Canadian Northwest today for first honors in the below-zero league. At Gloversville, N. Y., the thermometer at 8 o'clock this morning registered 22 deg. below. It was 6 deg. below at Albany and 2 deg. below at Pittsburgh. In New York City the mercury went down to 1 deg. above zero. Many points in Wisconsin and Michigan also reported below-zero weather. It was 10 deg. below at Green Bay, Wis., and 14 deg. below at Escanaba, Mich. A south wind tonight, however, caused a rise in temperature in Michigan and Wisconsin. Other temperatures:

City—	Max.	Min.
Abilene, Tex.	64	28
Boise, Idaho	50	32
Bonita, Cal.	..	47
Boston, Mass.	14	2
Buffalo, N. Y.	12	6
Calgary, Alberta	54	22
Chicago, Ill.	28	14
Corona, Cal.	..	60
Denver, Colo.	54	36
Des Moines, Iowa	24	4
Dodge City, Kan.	66	18
Duluth, Minn.	18	*2
Durango, Colo.	48	16
Escondido, Cal.	..	46
Eureka, Cal.	62	52
Flagstaff, Ariz.	46	10
Fresno, Cal.	66	50
Galveston, Tex.	56	42
Havre, Mont.	44	32
Helena, Mont.	54	26
Huron, S. D.	34	4
Independence, Cal.	48	..
Jacksonville, Fla.	44	38
Kamloops, B. C.	..	34
Kansas City, Mo.	34	14
Knoxville, Tenn.	32	16
Memphis, Tenn.	34	24
Modena, Utah	50	22
Montreal, Quebec	*2	*10
Moorhead, Minn.	24	*6
New Orleans, La.	50	36
New York, N. Y.	12	2
North Head, Wash.	52	48
North Platte, Neb.	52	14
Oklahoma City, Okla.	52	22
Pasadena, Cal.	..	49
Phoenix, Ariz.	82	56
Pittsburgh, Pa.	16	*2
Pomona, Cal.	..	41
Portland, Or.	54	42
Rapid City, S. D.	54	32
Red Bluff, Cal.	78	50
Redlands, Cal.	..	46
Reno, Nev.	60	32
Riverside, Cal.	..	48
Roseburg, Or.	70	48
Roswell, N. M.	66	24
St. Louis, Mo.	30	16
St. Paul, Minn.	24	*2
Sacramento, Cal.	68	50
Salt Lake City, Utah	44	28
Santa Barbara, Cal.	..	50
San Bernardino, Cal.	..	43
San Diego, Cal.	78	50
San Fernando, Cal.	..	59
San Francisco, Cal.	72	54
San Luis Obispo, Cal.	78	52
Seattle, Wash.	58	46
Sheridan, Wyo.	50	20
Spokane, Wash.	44	34
Swift Current, Sask.	38	16
Tampa, Fla.	58	52
Tonopah, Nev.	46	22
Tustin, Cal.	..	46
Washington, D. C.	18	8
Williston, N. D.	24	18
Winnemucca, Nev.	50	32
Winnipeg, Man.	22	*2
Yuma, Ariz.	82	62

*Below zero.

MRS. SWIGGETTE FINED.

San Francisco Woman Pleads Guilty to Smuggling in Merchandise.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEWARK (N. J.) Feb. 14.—Mrs. Emilie Swiggette, a San Francisco milliner, was fined $150 here today in the United States District Court after she had pleaded guilty to undervaluing dutiable merchandise brought by her into this country from abroad. Mrs. Swiggette was sentenced on Friday by the United States District Court in New York to ten days in prison for a similar offense. After serving one day of her sentence, however, she was paroled.

Judicial.

TO RENEW THE INQUIRY INTO BRANDEIS' FITNESS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—Public inquiry into the nomination of Louis D. Brandeis to the Supreme Court of the United States will be resumed tomorrow by the Judiciary Subcommittee of the Senate. On the witness stand will be officials of the United Shoe Machinery Company, with which Mr. Brandeis formerly was associated as director and general counsel.

S. W. Winslow, president of the United Shoe Machinery Company, who was subpoenaed, notified the subcommittee today that he would be present. Testimony will be sought regarding charges of "unethical conduct" on the part of Mr. Brandeis in his relations with this company to the effect that after serving as attorney and director of the company he withdrew and later acted as counsel for a group of manufacturers in a suit against the company as an unlawful trust. Mr. Brandeis resigned as director of the company in December, 1906, and retired as its counsel in January, 1907. In 1910 he appeared as counsel for the Shoe Manufacturers' Alliance in a suit against the company.

Later, it is said, witnesses will be called in defense of Mr. Brandeis, whose testimony will be designed to prove that Mr. Brandeis withdrew from the United Shoe Machinery Company because of some of the business methods it had adopted.

Best Place.

SCOTT FAVORS CORONADO FOR AVIATION SCHOOL.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—An appropriation of $200,000 for an army aviation school at Coronado Heights, Cal., was recommended to Congress today by Maj.-Gen. Scott, Chief of Staff and acting Secretary of War. He transmitted the report of a board of three army officers charged with investigating sites on the Pacific, Atlantic and Gulf coasts which said San Diego Bay was the best place for aviation training grounds in the country.

"Study of the climatological data of the locations visited by the commission clearly showed that the littoral of San Diego Bay contains the best sites as far as weather and air conditions are concerned," said the report. "Rail and water connections at San Diego are ample for transportation and communication."

In the preliminary report the opinion is expressed that the United States "has for defense purposes at least a title or color of title to land on the littoral of San Diego Bay." The report recommends, first, the acquisition of a site on North Island if the United States has title there and, if not, acquisition by purchase through condemnation proceedings of 616 acres at Coronado.

Statistical.

KEEN INTEREST IN EDUCATION.

But Latin-American Illiteracy Reaches a High Per Cent.

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Large Indian Population Partly Responsible for It.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PANAMA, Feb. 14.—Illiteracy in Latin-American countries reaches as high as 80 per cent. of the population in some instances and in no case is less than 40 per cent., according to the report of the Commission on Education presented today to the Congress on Religious Work in Latin America, which is in session here.

"In few nations is illiteracy so pronounced," the report says. "In some countries, such as Ecuador, it is impossible to arrive at any accurate estimate. In such advanced countries as Brazil some estimates reach as high as 80 per cent."

In view of the fact that in most of the southern republics large masses of the populations are Indians who have scarcely emerged from barbarism, the commission sees no possibility of any material advance in education in the immediate future. The great need, it points out, is for some industrial or agricultural training.

At the same time the commission finds that there is the keenest possible interest in the question of education in practically every section of Latin America and that any effort in that direction is warmly welcomed. As an example of this it instances the establishment of notable systems of successful day schools in Central Brazil, Argentina, Chile and elsewhere by the missionary churches of the United States and Great Britain. In British Guiana there are 17,000 pupils in the parochial schools instituted by the Church of England and the Wesleyan Methodists; Evangelistical schools in Buenos Aires have 5600 pupils enrolled and receive a government subsidy, while nearly forty parochial schools have been established in Brazil.

The commission reports that plans are being worked out for the establishment of a union Christian college at Buenos Aires, which city is described as the Gibraltar of Latin America from the viewpoint of missionary conquest.

The report concludes with an urgent plea for the co-operation of all the missionary churches in educational work in the southern republics and the raising of substantial funds in view of the enormous scope of the work.

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DENTISTS IN A FEUD.

Three are Suffering from Wounds and Two are Under Arrest.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 14.—Warrants charging assault with intent to kill were issued today against Dr. C. W. Kennerly, a dentist of San Antonio, Tex., and W. A. Diefenbach of Granite City, Ill., in connection with an alleged attack upon Dr. A. F. Johnson, a dentist of St. Louis, and his assistant Charles Lody, in a locked hotel room last Friday night.

Dr. Johnson is at the city hospital in a serious condition as the result of a bullet wound and knife wounds suffered during the fight.

Dr. Kennerly, Diefenbach and Lody, all suffering from knife wounds, are out on bond.

The dentists admit fighting over business differences but each claims the other was the aggressor and Dr. Kennerly denies having used the revolver with which Dr. Johnson was shot. Diefenbach has admitted enticing Dr. Johnson and his assistant to the hotel room, but claims he understood Dr. Johnson and Dr. Kennerly was merely to "talk matters over."

CARRANZA ROUTS YAQUI INDIANS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 14.—Progress in the Carranza army's campaign against Yaqui Indians in Sonora, Mex., was indicated today by copies of official reports telegraphed here to Ramon P. de Negri, Mexican Consul-General.

Gen. Serrano, in charge of operations in the Yaqui district, reported that two columns of troops had penetrated into the Indian country, occupying Los Algodones and Tetaconditate, later advancing to points considered to have been the general headquarters of the Yaquis. The Indians, it was said, were dislodged and forced to flee, abandoning arms and ammunition.

Telephone and telegraphic communication with the Yaqui country was said to have been restored.

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[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 14.—Use of hand brakes to "control" trains or aid in controlling them under ordinary circumstances, even when 85 per cent. of the cars are equipped with air brakes, as required by the Interstate Commerce Commission, was held today by the United States Circuit Court of Appeals to be illegal. The decision was given in remanding for trial the case of the government against the Northern Pacific Railway in seeking imposition of a $1200 fine on the railway for twelve alleged violations of the safety appliance law in July, 1914, between the Cascade tunnel and Merritt, Wash.

The case was dismissed by Judge Frank H. Rudkin in the United States District Court at Spokane on the defendant's demurrer, setting forth that the railway complied with the law by equipping the required percentage of cars with air brakes and operating them. The government contended that hand brakes were required as additional security, but were to be operated only in emergencies.

The court's opinion was signed by Judges Erskine M. Ross and W. W. Morrow. A dissenting opinion was written by Judge William B. Gilbert.

CHINESE SMUGGLING CASE UP.

Six Officials and Employees Enter Pleas of Not Guilty.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 14.—Six immigration officials and employees pleaded not guilty today when arraigned on Federal indictments charging a conspiracy to smuggle Chinese into this port.

Counsel for the men presented a statement showing that the men were exonerated recently of similar charges after an investigation by the Department of Commerce.

Twenty-seven persons in all were indicted in connection with the alleged conspiracy which was said to have centered about the discovery of eighty-six Chinese on the Pacific Mail steamer Mongolia last fall. The others included officers of the Mongolia and Chinese.

The immigration service men accused are: W. T. Boyce, deputy commissioner; Joseph X. Strand, inspector; Frank Hayes, inspector; W. C. Glendenning, interpreter, and two watchmen, L. J. Smith and David F. Graham.

INVESTIGATING WEBER'S DEATH.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

RENO (Nev.) Feb. 14.—The Mineral county (Nevada) grand jury today began an investigation at Hawthorne of the facts surrounding the death of Frank Weber, who died last December at Schurz, Nev., on the Walker Lake Indian reservation, following an altercation with Dr. Frank McKinley and E. R. Ballou.

STARTS WORK ON AUDITORIUM.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

PORTLAND (Or.) Feb. 14.—Ground was broken here today for the erection of Portland's $600,000 municipal auditorium. The structure will be four stories high and will cover the entire block bordered by Market, Clay, Second and Third streets. An immense stage and a $25,000 pipe organ will be features of the building.

DIOVAL SPAGNOLI BURIED AT JACKSON.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

JACKSON, Feb. 14.—The funeral of Dioval Benedetto Spagnoli, at one time United States Consul to Milan, Italy, and formerly of San Francisco, was held here this afternoon. Spagnoli was said to be the first person of Italian descent to be elected to public office in California. He came to Jackson in 1854 and later was elected to the office of County Clerk and Auditor and Recorder. He was aged 75 years.

DR. SUN YAT SEN MARRIED.

First Provisional President of China Takes His Secretary as Wife.

[A. P. FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE.]

TOKIO (Japan) January 12.—Japanese newspapers relate that Sun Yat Sen, who was first provisional President of China, has wedded his private secretary, Miss Huiliu, second daughter of Sung Chiashu of Canton, who is the chief accountant of the Chinese Railway Corporation at Canton of which Dr. Sun was one time president.

Dr. Sun continues his life of mystery at Tokio. He and his followers are described as being closely in touch with the revolutionary movements in Southern China. Dr. Sun lives in Japan under the Japanese name of Hayashi. A sign over his office door reading "Headquarters of Chinese Revolutionary Publicists," was removed at the time of the outbreak of the revolution in Yunnan province. He is popularly supposed to be under the protection of Japanese detectives to prevent possible assassination by representatives of the Chinese monarchy movement.

SON DOUBTS IT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

BERKELEY, Feb. 14.—Sun Bo, son of Dr. Sun Yat Sen, who is a student at the University of California, said today that he did not believe the report that his father had married again. He said his father would have informed him if it were a fact. He said his mother still was living in China.

The son said he doubted if his father would marry again, although national custom permitted more than one wife.

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Stockmen Say Johnson is a Coyote in Sheep's Dress.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 13.—Forbearance is ceasing to be considered a virtue by many persons and institutions that have been suffering for the last five years from the steadily growing arrogance of certain State officials. Threats of reprisals are not onger sufficient to bind the mouths of those who tread the corn that keeps the administration hoppers filled. Chairman Neylan of the Board of Control is accused openly by both the County Auditor of Sacramento county and by officials of the California Women's Hospital of San Francisco of gross incompetence and of wilful misrepresentation in connection with his official duties; Gov. Johnson himself is assailed by the Stockmen's Journal for favoring legislation aiding cattle rustlers, in an article that concludes:

"An insult from such a man (the Governor) may truly be considered a compliment by an ordinary sinner. He whom this dictator praises he shames, and whom he vilifies he honors."

Boards of Supervisors and committees of citizens come to Sacramento almost weekly from Northern California counties and openly charge the State Highway Commission with playing politics, showing bad faith by breaking signed pledges with the counties in relation to the building of State highways, and with general cussedness.

Butte county's Board of Supervisors, reinforced by a strong committee of property owners, appeared at the session of the Board of Highway Commissioners last week and demanded that either the board complete the work it was pledged to do in that county or make good the $100,000 that the county has expended in getting rights of way and paying premiums on highway bonds. They asserted that Butte county is not in financial condition to contribute $100,000 to the political fund of the administration.

DOUBLE DEALING.

Butte county's grievance is that the Highway Commission promised to spend $475,000 of the highway bond money in that county, provided the Supervisors and the citizens would take that amount of highway bonds. The bonds would not sell for par in the open market and this meant marketing them by the county at a loss. The citizens of Butte county formed a pool and raised the money to take the bonds. In addition to this they expended $75,000 in the purchase of rights of way for the proposed State roads. The Highway Commission delivered $235,000 of bonds to Butte county and that money was spent in building a State road in the neighborhood of Chico. But when Butte county came to get the other $150,000 of bonds which was to link this road up with the State highway system, as agreed upon, the board replied that the bonds were all gone. The Butte Supervisors assert that the county has spent $75,000 on rights of way for this connecting link.

So hot has become the opposition to the Highway Commission that two of the commissioners, Blaney and Sterns, announced at the last meeting that they expected to retire as soon as the present bond money is expended, and that a new board will be appointed by the Governor to take charge of the additional work, in case the proposed issue of an additional $15,000,000 of highway bonds is ratified by the electors at the November election. This was occasioned by the open threats of at least half a dozen northern counties that they will make a Statewide campaign against permitting the Highway Commission to get hold of any more State bond money with which to play politics.

NEYLAN HANGS ON.

Chairman Neylan of the Board of Control is assailed even more bitterly; but he is careful to make no suggestions concerning separating himself from his $5000-a-year job. He made a personal matter of the application of the California Women's Hospital of San Francisco, for an exemption from the State license tax on the grounds that it is a charitable institution. In declining this application the communication from the State Board of Control contained the following clause:

"In relation to the California Women's Hospital, it happens that the chairman of this board at one time investigated this hospital and found that instead of being conducted for charitable purposes it was maintained principally as a private sanatorium for the benefit of Dr. Vowinckel and Dr. Markee, and instead of being a charity institution the beds for charity patients had scarcely been occupied—and this in spite of the fact that the public annually was asked to contribute and did contribute large sums of money for the maintenance of the institution."

To this communication the board drew a stinging rejoinder from the hospital board, through its attorney, W. A. Metson, in the form of an open letter to Chairman Neylan in which the following extracts appear.

"You have either suppressed evidence or given false evidence to your colleagues. . . . At the time you refer to there was a disagreement among the managing body with reference to the head nurse and when the disagreement arose there was some talk, and statements similar to the ones you have made were made. At that time, at my own expense—for many years in a small way I have been a contributor to that institution and a great many of my friends were also contributors—I employed a public accountant, W. Allan Monroe. He went through the books and records of that institution throughly and carefully, and the reports and records show that your memory is either wrong or that you did not make a personal investigation and relied upon hearsay testimony, or that you are making an absolutely false statement."

MALIGNS DEAD MEN.

Referring to the alleged profit which the two physicians were supposed to be making from the hospital, the communication continues: "Soon after the outbreak of the European war, Dr. Vowinckel volunteered his services in Red Cross work, and has for a long time since been serving without any compensation whatever in charge of a field hospital on the firing line between Germany and France. I understand Dr. Markee, whom I never knew, has long since gone across the 'Dark River.' In other words, you, drawing an official salary, malign these two men who are not here to defend themselves and deduce from the frame of mind that causes you to do so, the fact that in 1915 this charity did not exist.

"One of the doctors is dead, the other is doing charity, you are drawing pay from the State for deciding, contrary to both law and fact, a proposition which under your conscience you should decide honestly, fairly and justly."

MORE SKULLDUGGERY.

Chairman Neylan's controversy with Auditor Williams took so serious turn that both he and Williams were haled last week before the Sacramento county grand jury. This case resembles one with which Los Angeles is familiar; "Progressive" influence succeeded in getting the county to ask the Board of Control to expert the books of the different county departments. When the alleged experts had finished their work the board made a report to the grand jury in which it criticised severely some of the methods of the county officials.

Auditor Williams came back with a statement in which he purports to show that the State experts overlooked entirely a little item of $1,500,000 on the county books, and that the failure to take account of this naturally made a confusion in the figures.

Neylan replied that the expert of the board was an able accountant who had worked for ten years for the Wisconsin Commission. Williams rejoined by showing that the expert in question claims to be but twenty-four years of age at the present time, and says it is hardly likely he has been working as an expert for that time.

County officials here, and the newspapers as well — except the Union, which is supported financially by the administration — agree that the charges made by the Board of Control are in the main unfounded and that the board has placed itself in a position from which withdrawal with honor is extremely difficult.

JOHNSON SCORCHED.

Gov. Johnson himself indulged recently in some of his choice expletives in replying to a communication from the editor of the Stockmen's Journal. The following appears in the current number of that journal:

"OUR COMPLIMENTARY GOVERNOR."

"Gov. Johnson in a postscript to his letter took upon himself to compliment us in the following refined and delicate manner:

"'P. S.—I assumed when you wrote me complaining about Dr. Keane and your inability to obtain a reply from him, that you wrote me in good faith and acting upon that assumption, and in ignorance of your activities and of the particularly contemptible position you occupied, I transmitted your communication to Dr. Keane, the State Veterinarian, and asked for an explanation. I have just before me an editorial in your paper of date January 15, 1916, entitled "Administration Aiding Rustlers." This editorial is filled with what you know to be falsehoods and has been written in malice and mendacity. There is not a line of it that relates to me but what is false, and when penned by you was known to be false. It is a fair assumption that a man so destitute of character as to write such outrageous, malicious and mendacious statements would be in hostility to an official striving to do his duty as Dr. Keane has striven to do.

"Yours truly,
[Signed]
"HIRAM W. JOHNSON."

"OUR ANSWER.

"Nice letter. Nice Governor.

"Not so long ago he was described as a 'Wolf in Sheep's Clothing.' In the light of the foregoing scurrilous postscript, in our opinion, a rabid coyote in the same disguise would be a far more apt illustration of Hiram W. Johnson, the present Governor of California.

"How dare we criticise an administration which has as its head a man once nominated for the high office of Vice-President of these United States?

"Because it was by a party which will go on the records as the shortest lived and most feeble national political effort known in the country's history. Evidently so, when it chose Hiram W. Johnson, a political traitor, for its Vice-President. We are speaking of the Progressives which did not progress.

"Hiram W. Johnson was elected Governor of this State in 1910, and entered upon his duties in an elephant's hide, branded G. O. P. Then a transmutation occurred, and he appeared as a Moose, duly branded T. R. There certainly could not be a better example of the necessity of a Brand and Hide Inspection Bill, than the Governor himself.

"Then by a political trick, in collusion with the local herd of Moose, created by gubernatorial patronage, he succeeded in robbing the Republicans of California of the right of supporting their candidate for the Presidency in 1912, thereby helping to defeat that party and throw the government of the country into the hands of the Democrats.

"For this breach of honor he may justly be considered a compliment by any ordinary sinner. He who this dictater praises he shames, and he who he vilifies he honors."

PEOPLE IGNORED.

When the present administration was new citizens in general shrank from bringing down upon their heads the rabid utterances of its officials, especially as the columns of the "Progressive press" were always open to publish denunciations of the officials, but never the replies of the victims. But most of these officials have become so discredited in the last fourteen months that their denunciations have lost their terror and a growing volume of protest from groups of taxpayers is making itself heard. While all administrations in the past have been attacked in the opposition press, the acts of no other have occasioned such violent protest in the very offices and departments of the State.

PEOPLE TURN OUT TO BUILD A ROAD.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

PHOENIX (Ariz.) Feb. 14.—Approximately 1000 residents of Salt River Valley gathered today in Sahuro National Park, near here, to aid in completing the construction of a road through the park, as a present to the State in commemoration of its fourth birthday. The holiday spirit prevailed here and at other cities in celebration of Admission Day.

Grows.

MORE CHARGES IN BOMB PLOT

German Consul and Others Again Indicted.

Bills Accuse Them of Trying to Blow up Factories.

Government Official Says Arrests to be Made.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 14—Federal grand jury returned another indictment each today in the plot cases against Franz Bopp, German General for Germany here; Baron H. Von Schack, Vice-Consul for Germany; Baron Wilhelm von Brincken, a lieutenant of the German army, is connected with the German consulate; Charles C. Crowley and Margaret Cornell, detectives employed by the consulate; J. P. Koolbergen and Louis J. Smith.

All are charged in eight counts with conspiring to blow up munition factories, railroads and steamers in the United States, and steamers carrying munitions of war from United States ports to the allies, in neutrality and interference with commerce under the Sherman anti-trust law.

Overt acts alleged were all of a similar indictment returned in December against three of the principals, Crowley, Mrs. Cornell and Brincken. All of those named in the indictments returned today were indicted last Thursday on charges of conspiring to carry out the same practices in Canada, but technical conspiring to set afoot and provide a military expedition from this country to Canada.

Van Koolbergen is a civil engineer supposed to have made an estimate that he was hired by Bopp to go to Canada to destroy railroads. He is said to be now under arrest in Canada. Smith, now in the East, has much of the information leading to the original indictments against Crowley, Mrs. Cornell, and Brincken.

SUPPLANTS OLD INDICTMENT.

The indictment today supplants that brought against the same defendants in December alleging interference with interstate commerce, but a second indictment is returned that time charging them with conspiring to incite murder, and the assassination still remains.

All of the defendants except Koolbergen and Smith will be arraigned tomorrow before Judge Maurice T. Dooling of the United States District Court.

Judge Dooling permitted Franz Bopp, Von Schack liberty upon their own recognizance. Bail for the other defendants in the indictments was fixed at $10,000.

In the indictments today the defendants are charged with conspiring specifically to "blow up with dynamite, or other explosives, the works of the Hercules Powder Company at Pinole, Cal.; the works of the Aetna Explosive Company at Stamping, Mich., and of Aetna, Ind.; Grand Trunk Railway, between Detroit and Montreal; the ports of Seiko (or Shimsei) Maru, Hamilar and Talthybius, operating between ports of California, Oregon and Washington to Canadian and Australian ports. No specific dates were named in the indictments, but May 1 was alleged to be the first date of the conspiracy.

EXPECTS MORE ARRESTS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—Bielaski, chief of the bureau of investigation of the Department of Justice, said today that investigation of alleged plots to blow up munition plants and wreck Canadian railroads, which centered in San Francisco, had not been concluded and that more arrests may be expected. He refused to say where investigation was now being directed.

COOPER IS LOCATED.

Man Wanted in California Is Under Arrest in Australia.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 14.—Governor Johnson today received a communication from Secretary of State Lansing from Washington, D. C., informing him of the whereabouts of Harry Westwood Cooper, also known as Ernest Moor Chadwick, who is wanted by the State of California for forgery committed in 1912 and 1913 on charges of embezzling, and also for having committed bigamy in marrying a second wife while he still had a legal wife.

Cooper, according to the information, sent to the Secretary of State by the United States Consul in South Africa, was arrested in Durban, South Africa, in 1915, in Australia and held for extradition upon warrants of the State of California. He is said to have committed some similar crimes in South Africa on which he was arrested.

NEW ORLEANS TO BE GUARDED.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SEATTLE (Wash.) Feb. 14.—The cruiser New Orleans arrived in Puget Sound navy yard today from Mexican waters, where she has been on duty three months. She will undergo repairs that will require 30 days.

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That Francisco Villa is planning another campaign against towns in Sonora, is the statement attributed today to Alberto Garcia, Mexican bandit arrested here last Friday, by friends of the prisoner who were said to have talked with Garcia before his arrest. According to these persons Garcia told them he had been in daily communication with Villa and that he came here on business for the former Carranza leader.

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OUR CLIMATE THE MAGNET
Steamers from the East Crowded with Passengers for California.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE SERVICE.]

PORTLAND (Or.) Feb. 14.—Happy are the attendants of the Pacific Northwest ticket offices, particularly those who sell tickets for lines running to California points, because the extra passenger business is bringing them no one knows the meaning of early rush to the south. The Beaver, sailing Saturday, carried 150, and it was said that, at the rate reservations were being made on the Yale for tomorrow night, the Harvard would have no room for passengers. The Congress sailed today with a full list.

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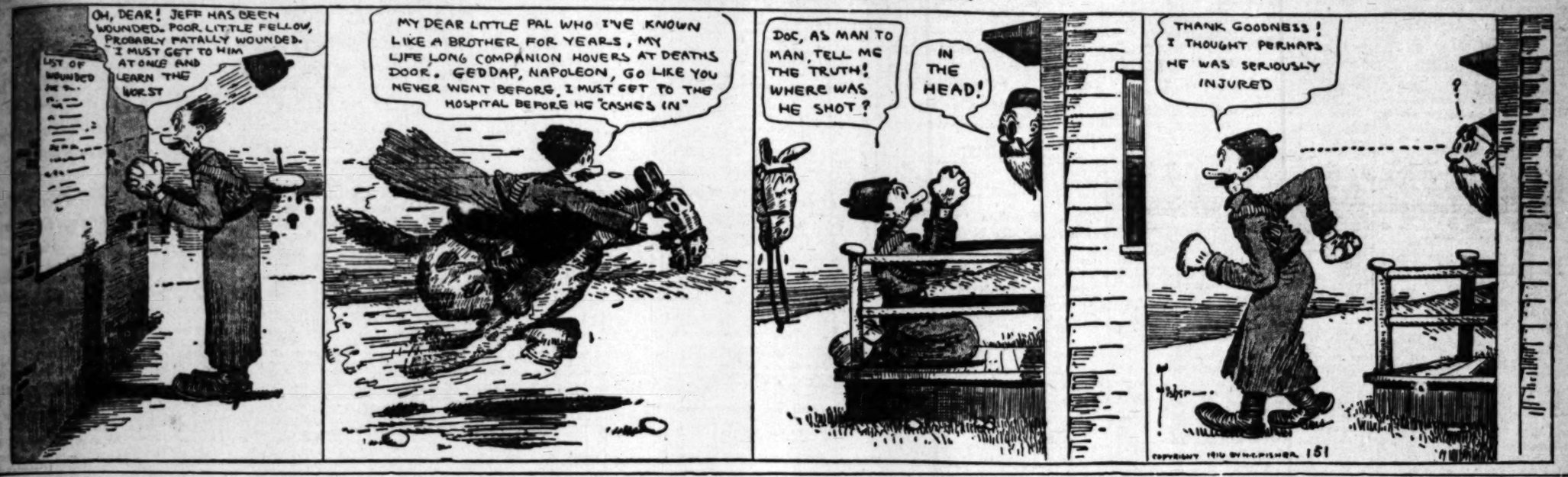

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New Issue.

(Continued from First Page.)

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THE COLOMBIAN TREATY.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—Recognizing the probability that the pending treaty between the United States and his country will not be ratified by the Senate in its original form, Julio Betancourt, the Colombian Minister, has asked his government for a leave of absence from Washington. It is understood he will seek permanent withdrawal if the treaty is rejected or if the Senate accepts its Foreign Relations Committee's amendments reducing the indemnity for the partition of Panama from $25,000,000 to $15,000,000, and making the expression of regret mutual.

In a statement tonight, Mr. Betancourt referred to the state of his health, which, he said, made it necessary for him to leave Washington.

"I am only waiting," he said, "to know the decision of the Senate on the pending treaty in order to communicate a report of its action to my government, which will put before the Colombian Congress the treaty with whatever amendments may be made to it, that is, if it is not approved without change, as my government expects it will be.

"I see with great concern the conversion into a party question of an international issue, which ought to be regarded as one of continental importance, considering the state of affairs in the world today. There are powerful reasons which should urge the solid union of all the nations of this continent as the most effective way to insure the future peace and prosperity of America."

Efforts of the Roosevelt, Taft and Wilson administrations to settle the controversy with Colombia were cited by the Minister to prove that no question of party was involved.

R. B. CAMARILLO WEDS.

Los Angeles Attorney and San Francisco Girl are Married.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN FRANCISCO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 14.—R. B. Camarillo, a young Los Angeles lawyer connected with the State Attorney-General's office in the southern city, was married to Miss Mary Frances O'Shaughnessy of San Francisco at St. Mary's Cathedral this morning. Father Gleason officiated at the ceremony.

The marriage, which was a surprise to the friends of both bride and groom, was the culmination of a college romance, Camarillo having been introduced to his wife by her brother while the young men were students at Santa Clara University.

The former Miss O'Shaughnessy is the daughter of former Superintendent of Streets William M. O'Shaughnessy.

CARL LEONARDT RE-ELECTED.

Los Angeles Man Again President of Cement Company.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

EL PASO, Feb. 14.—Carl Leonardt of Los Angeles was re-elected president of the Southwestern Portland Cement Company at the annual meeting which was held here today. C. C. Merrill of Los Angeles was also re-elected a director of the cement company, which is also building a half-million-dollar plant at Victorville. T. M. Reardon of Flagstaff, Ariz., attended the annual meeting of the stockholders and was re-elected as a director of the company.

The report made by the officers showed the progress of the Victorville plant at Victorville, Cal., to be satisfactory and that the high waters had not damaged the plant in the least. The local directors re-elected were Robert Krakauer, James G. McNary, Felix Martinez and A. Courchesne.

COME AGAIN, MAYOR.

El Paso Executive Likes Our Town so We Like Him Also.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

EL PASO, Feb. 14.—Mayor Lea says if he was not Mayor of El Paso he would be glad to have a job on the street-cleaning department of Los Angeles, he likes that city so well. Mayor Lea returned from Los Angeles today, where he had been on private business.

"I never knew Los Angeles was such a progressive, wide-awake place until I went out there last week," Mayor Lea said. "If the people of Los Angeles had been any nicer to me I would have had to enter a hospital for I was showered with attentions from the minute I arrived. Mayor Sebastian placed his auto at my disposal, Chief of Police Snively gave orders that I should not be arrested for speeding the Mayor's car, and he welcomed me to everything in the city but the jail.

"I have always been proud of Los Angeles. That is my home city. But this did not blind me to the splendid civic virtues I discovered in Los Angeles. I love California and Los Angeles is the best city on the Coast."

Capture of Great Value.

The appropriation of the Traveling Public has been captured by the WASHINGTON-SUNSET ROUTE, account of their superior service to the East, via El Paso, New Orleans, Mobile, Atlanta, Washington, D. C., Philadelphia and New York. Four nights to New York and other eastern cities. Thru sleeping cars, California to Washington, D. C. Stop-off at New Orleans and Washington, D. C. Liberal stop-overs permitted. Let us arrange your trip. T. F. Fitzgerald, agent, 600 South Spring street. 57821—Adv. 2901.

Firm.

INCREASED MINING TAXES MUST BE PAID IN MEXICO.

Gen. Carranza Informs Americans He Must Insist Upon His Decree in Order to Prevent Fraudulent Transfers of Property — Declares Anyone Being Injured Should File a Claim with Him.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—American Consul Silliman, with Gen. Carranza, reported today that increased taxes on mining property, against which the United States made energetic protest, must be paid July 1, the end of the present fiscal year.

Luis Cabrera, Minister of Finance, so told Representative American mining men at a conference which Mr. Silliman arranged at Guanajuato. Consul Silliman's dispatch, dated February 10 and made public by the State Department today, said:

"In the course of the interview Secretary Cabrera said that the de facto government is desirous of dismissing its soldiers as rapidly as possible and of having them employed in the mines and other industries; that the government must foster industries and not oppress them. He asked that the companies be patient and trust the government to do its best for them under the abnormal conditions. He further stated that if the government decided that any changes should be made in the mining decree they would be considered during the next period and that if the decree is modified the changes would become effective with the beginning of the new fiscal year, July 1."

Mr. Silliman also reported that he had presented the State Department's protest against a decree requiring that formal notification be given the Mexican government before any transfers of oil lands were made, and that Gen. Carranza had replied that any American who considered himself injured by the decree should make specific representations, which would be considered justly.

Companies operating in Mexico have complained that this decree was a step toward nationalization of oil lands, but Mexican officials declare it simply is aimed at fraudulent transfers pointing out that those unfriendly to the ruling faction, fearing confiscation, frequently have placed their property in the hands of friends for a sum merely nominal.

Other decrees that remain in effect in spite of representations by the State Department are:

A decree by the Governor of Aguascalientes annulling all franchises that provide for exemption or partial exemption from taxation.

A decree by the Governor of Chihuahua that paper money shall circulate on a parity with metal currency.

A decree by the Governor of Sonora providing for the confiscation of all property of those unfriendly to the present government.

A decree by the central government prohibiting exportation of hides.

Promissory Note.

DECLARES DANIELS UNFIT FOR HIS HIGH POSITION.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 14.—Secretary Daniels was taken to task by Stanwood Menken, president of the National Security League, in an address at the annual banquet of the Engineers' Society of Western Pennsylvania here tonight for planning "to give us a promissory note for a navy, payable in ten years with installments maturing about five years from the date of Congressional enactment."

"It is apparent that the Secretary of the Navy has not understood the situation as now sensed by the President," continued Mr. Menken, "nor has he had the inspiration or judgment to recognize the greatness of his task and bring to his aid industrial leaders capable of handling great enterprises. Mr. Daniels has shown no fitness for his position, no title to continue in it. I say this because at the present juncture, with no politics but preparedness, no creed but America, we must feel it the proper time to ask, if the American people show their belief in Mr. Wilson by re-electing him, whether four years more of Mr. Wilson means four years more of Mr. Daniels.

"This is the gravest moment to those of us who, while recognizing Mr. Daniels's many amiable qualities and political record, feel his control of the upbuilding of our navy and its personnel is a menace to national safety."

Diplomacy.

LANSING FORCES BRITONS TO RELEASE AMERICAN.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Feb. 14, 4:40 p.m.—Harry J. Backer of New Orleans, who had been detained by the British authorities for two months after having been taken from a liner at Gibraltar, has been released as a result of urgent representations by the American State Department.

Backer's passport was regular, and when the American Consul at Gibraltar communicated this fact to Washington his release was demanded. The formalities had almost been completed, when the American embassy here learned that he had been transferred to London on January 10. The whole question had then to be reopened.

No reasons have been given for the detention of Backer, and on his return to the United States he may seek the aid of the State Department to obtain some compensation from the British government.

The overlapping of the jurisdiction of various departments has caused much vexatious delay in the case of a number of innocent Americans detained by the British authorities, and the American embassy has finally succeeded in having recognized its contention that a valid passport is the only evidence necessary to establish citizenship. The British naval authorities have been instructed that a naturalized American need not produce his naturalization papers.

Flanders.

SEVENTEEN AIR FIGHTS REPORTED BY LONDON.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Feb. 14, 11:13 p.m.—A British official statement issued tonight denies the capture of forty British in Flanders, as reported in the German official statement of Sunday. It records many engagements in the air and much activity of the Germans along La Bassee Canal. The text follows:

"The German wireless reports that forty British prisoners were captured in the fighting near Pilkelm. We have eleven men missing from this fighting, of whom eight are believed to have been killed. These men were lost in pursuing the Germans back into their trenches.

"Yesterday there were seventeen fights in the air. As a result of one of these, a large hostile double engine machine was driven down in the enemy's lines.

"The enemy has been very active mining south of La Bassee Canal. Seven mines were exploded by him in the last twenty-four hours. South of Fosse eight, the mine explosions were preceded by a heavy bombardment and followed by a small infantry attack. A few men got into our trenches, but were immediately driven out by hand grenades."

QUEEN ANNE HILL SLIDES TOWARD SEA.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SEATTLE (Wash.) Feb. 14.—The bluff of Queen Anne Hill, a fine residence district in the northern part of the city, has begun to slip toward the sea beach, beginning at Kinnear Park and extending north a mile. At the top the earth has subsided two inches to two feet. A number of houses have been twisted, besides those wrecked by the slides in this district last week, and water and gas pipes have been broken.

The snow having gone and the rain subsided, it is expected that the slides on Queen Anne Hill will cease. All the large buildings are safe.

The damage in Kinnear Park is somewhat more serious than in usual winters, but slides are always looked for in wet weather on the steep bluff side.

Residents of the vicinity said the trouble apparently was over as there was no further indication of slides or further settling of the ground.

Workmen today began shoring up the damaged houses to place them in their former positions on new foundations.

ACCUSES POULTRY TRUST.

New York Firms Said to Have Had Knowledge of Rival's Murder.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—The "poultry trust" knew months in advance that Barnet Baff, an independent dealer, who was murdered by gun men in 1914, was doomed to die, according to information given in a letter received by Dist.-Atty. Swann today, which the prosecutor is endeavoring to confirm. The grand jury was prepared today to listen to evidence, but Mr. Swann decided to defer until next week his presentation of the case.

Ninety per cent. of the market dealers knew there was a plot against Baff's life and a so-called poultry club made up of many of these dealers, planned the murder, the letter charged.

Baff was one of their bitterest competitors and had fought the "trust" by quoting lower prices.

About 200 men including many dealers, are suspected of having contributed, in sums of $5 to $50, to the fund which was paid to Baff's murderers. Many of these contributions were made innocently, Dist.-Atty. Swann believes, the givers understanding that the money was raised for a legal fight against Baff.

FORECLOSES ON THEATER.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SEATTLE (Wash.) Feb. 14.—Suit to foreclose a mortgage of $350,000 on the Orpheum Theater Building and site in this city was begun today by the Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York against Sullivan and Considine and John W. Considine. It is alleged that taxes and interest are delinquent. The Orpheum Company, being only lessee, is not involved.

Life's Seamy Side.

CRONES ELUDES THE OFFICERS.

Countrywide Search Made for Chef in Poison Case.

Paper that Printed Red Literature Disappears.

Letters Seized Refer to King Humbert's Murder.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 14.—Country-wide search for Jean Crones, former assistant chef of the University Club and the suspected poisoner of more than 100 guests last Thursday at a dinner to Archbishop Mondelin, was conducted today.

The activity of the police centered chiefly in localities known to be frequented by persons of anarchistic tendencies.

Letters written by Crones and found in the possession of John Allegrini, a friend of Crones, were carefully scrutinized by the police.

In the Allegrini letters the police found reference to Mrs. Sophie Bresci, widow of Gaetano Bresci, who in 1900 assassinated King Humbert of Italy and died in an Italian prison. The letter told of contributions to a small fund for her relief and, the police said, had no bearing upon Crones. Mrs. Bresci, the police said, moved to St. Paul about a year ago. Detectives sent to the house where she lived in Chicago were unable to obtain anything which had a bearing on the case.

Unsuccessful efforts were made by the police to find the plant of an anarchist publication through which they believed they might establish that Crones was allied with a world group of [illegible] which had plotted violence in Europe.

Among [illegible] papers found in Allegrini's room by the police was a rough sketch showing [illegible] of the Union League Club and the Federal Building in Chicago, which are separated by Jackson boulevard.

Police Lieutenant Larkin of the detective bureau said that the sketch showed nothing of the interior arrangement of either building.

It was said the letters taken by detectives from Allegrini's room gave evidence of an unsuccessful attempt to stir up an anarchistic movement among the Italian mine workers in Colorado.

One letter signed "Allegrini" and dated Salida, Colo., April 17, 1915, read in part:

"Read your last communication and learn that you are seeking to intensify the propaganda in Chicago. Even I here am making every effort to organize a group, but the Italian element here is composed of those classes which are subject to all prejudices and superstitions and for this reason the element is as arid as are these mountains of rock and sand. But I do not despair of success."

It is not known to whom the letter was sent.

To evade service of a writ of habeas corpus on them, the police entered a charge of conspiracy to commit murder against Allegrini. One of the letters seized at Allegrini's lodgings was unsigned and contained a crude drawing of a bomb.

"It takes but three months to fix up one of these things," read the letter. "Then it is good enough to send a priest or any other religious man high in the air."

The prisoner said that of the letters only three belonged to him. These, he said, were written about the fund for Mrs. Sophie Bresci. The remainder of the letters, he asserted, belonged to Antonio Forte of Chicago. Allegrini said he was a stone cutter and a member of the local union.

AN ARTILLERY DUEL ON THE ISONZO LINE.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

ROME, (via London, Feb. 14, 10:15 p.m.)—The following official statement from general headquarters was issued today:

"Yesterday there was a lively artillery duel, which was especially intense in the Upper Isonzo zone, where important movements of enemy troops were observed, together with greater activity [illegible] preparations and road making."

Thousands Take

this mild, family remedy to avoid illness, and to improve and protect their health. They keep their blood pure, their livers active, their bowels regular and digestion sound and strong with

BEECHAM'S PILLS

Largest Sale of Any Medicine in the World. Sold everywhere. In boxes, 10c., 25c.

VILLE de PARIS
Closed all day,
Washington's
Birthday

DR. HUTCHASON The Reliable Dentist 320 S. Broadway.

DANGEROUS CALOMEL IS SELDOM SOLD NOW

Calomel Salivates! It Makes You Sick and You Lose a Day's Work —Dodson's Liver Tone Acts Better Than Calomel and Is Harmless for Men, Women, Children—Read Guarantee!

Every druggist in the South—your druggist and everybody's druggist has noticed a great falling-off in the sale of calomel. They all give the same reason. Dodson's Liver Tone is taking its place.

"Calomel is dangerous and people know it while Dodson's Liver Tone is safe and gives better results," said a prominent local druggist. Dodson's Liver Tone is personally guaranteed by every druggist. A large family-sized bottle costs only 50 cents and if you find it doesn't take the place of dangerous, salivating calomel you have only to ask for your money back.

Dodson's Liver Tone is a pleasant-tasting, purely vegetable remedy, harmless to both children and adults. Take a spoonful at night and wake up feeling fine, no sick headache, biliousness, ague, sour stomach or clogged bowels. Dodson's Liver Tone doesn't gripe or cause inconvenience all next day like calomel.

Take a dose of calomel tonight and tomorrow you will feel sick, weak and nauseated. Don't lose a day's work!

Dodson's Liver Tone is real liver medicine. You'll know it next morning because you will wake up with your head clear, your liver active, bowels clean, breath sweet and stomach regulated. You will feel cheerful and full of vigor and ready for a hard day's work.

You can eat without risk of salivating yourself or your children.

Get a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone and try it on my guarantee. You'll never again put a dose of nasty, dangerous calomel into your stomach.

Classified Liners.

AGATE TYPE ONLY.

Accepted subject to the following rates and rules: Rates: The rate for inserting Want Ads in the Daily Times is 1c per word each insertion; in the Sunday issue 1½c per word each insertion; minimum charge applicable to a single insertion and to each non-consecutive insertion, 25c; except under the following classifications, the rate for which is 2c per word daily, 2½c per word Sunday, minimum charge, applicable to a single insertion and to each non-consecutive insertion, 25c daily, 35c Sunday: "Rooms or Boarding," "Personals," "Special Notices," "Church Notices," "Miscellaneous," "Books and Books," "Money to Loan," "Salesmen," "Agents and Canvassers," "Situations," "Medical," "Detectives," "Manicuring" and "Baths and Massage."

An extra charge of 25 per cent. is made for the use of capital letters.

Minimum space for classified advertisements ordered for more than one insertion, 14 words.

White space and dashes are charged for on the basis of seven words to a line.

Ads set solid are counted strictly by the word.

For paragraphed or lined-up matter set in caps, estimate 8½c (8) average words to a line. Not set in caps, estimate five (5) average words to the line. Nine and eight (8) average words to each line following. In this kind of advertising the actual number of words set solid is counted, and eight (8) words added for each unlined line.

The Times reserves the right to classify all advertisements under appropriate headings.

The Times cannot guarantee accuracy or assume responsibility for errors of any kind occurring in numbered advertisements.

The Times will not be responsible for more than one incorrect insertion of any advertisement ordered for more than one time.

Errors not the fault of the advertiser, which clearly lessen the value of an advertisement, will be rectified only by republication, without extra charge, on presentation of receipt within five days after insertion. No allowance will be made where the error does not materially affect the value of the advertisement.

No adjustment will be made for advertising items not affected by an error or errors which may occur in other items in the same advertisement.

Advertisers should retain receipts given by The Times for payment for "liners," as no mistake can be rectified without them.

The Times will not accept phone or verbal orders to discontinue or change "till forbid" advertisements.

Telephoned orders to discontinue advertising in The Times are numbered in the order of their receipt, and in each instance the number of the order is given to the advertiser, who should make a record thereof. In case of dispute no charge for advertising will be related unless the "stop order" number is presented to The Times by the advertiser.

Sunday real estate advertisements, to be classified properly, must be in The Times office before 5 o'clock Saturday night. Other classified "Wants," "To Lets," etc., received over counter or by telephone until 11 p.m. Saturday. Ads received after closing hours for each division will be inserted under heading "Too Late to Classify." Rate 1½ cents per word.

The Sunday circulation of The Times exceeds 160,000 copies and more "liners" are regularly printed in its columns than in the five other Los Angeles newspapers combined.

Telephone your want advertisements, Ring up "The Times," Main 8200, Home 10891, any time of day or night, and secure prompt and careful attention.

"BE QUICK TO KICK IF THINGS SEEM WRONG. PUT KICK TO US AND MAKE IT STRONG."

INSTANT SERVICE FOR TIMES PATRONS.

Those of our patrons who may at any time desire to reply to classified advertisements printed in The Times, send communications to this newspaper and have "Times" and other advertisements inserted, may have their letters placed in various Times downtown buildings for the purpose indicated.

Collections will be made from these boxes every hour.

Each piece of advertising copy must contain the name and address of the advertiser, number of insertions and heading under which it is desired that the announcement be printed.

The boxes are located as follows:

BRYSON BLOCK, 145 S. SPRING ST. (Lobby near elevator.)

BROADWAY CENTRAL BLDG., 424 S. BROADWAY. (Lobby near elevator.)

BUMILLER BLDG., 430 S. BROADWAY. (Lobby near elevator.)

COLUMBIA TRUST BLDG., 313 W. THIRD ST. (Lobby near elevator.)

DELTA BLDG., 626 S. SPRING ST. (Lobby near elevator.)

GARLAND BLDG., 740 S. BROADWAY. (Lobby near elevator.)

GERMAIN BLDG., 224 S. SPRING ST. (Lobby near elevator.)

GRANT BLDG., 354 S. BROADWAY. (Corner of elevator.)

HIGGINS BLDG., SECOND AND MAIN STS. (Lobby near elevator.)

H. W. HELLMAN BLDG., FOURTH AND SPRING. (Near elevator, Fourth st. lobby.)

I. W. HELLMAN BLDG., 401 S. MAIN ST. (Next to U. S. Mail Box.)

HIBERNIAN BLDG., FOURTH AND SPRING STS. (Lobby near elevator.)

L. A. INVESTMENT BLDG., 756 S. BROADWAY. (Lobby, near elevator.)

LANKERSHIM BLDG., 326 W. THIRD ST. (Lobby opposite elevator.)

LAUGHLIN BLDG., 316 S. BROADWAY. (Next to U. S. Mail Box.)

MARSH-STRONG BLDG., 6TH, SPRING AND MAIN. (On elevator Shaft, No. 1.)

MASON BLDG., FOURTH AND BROADWAY. (In lobby.)

MERCHANTS' TRUST BLDG., 207 S. BROADWAY. (Lobby, north of U. S. Mail Box.)

O. T. JOHNSON BLDG., FOURTH AND BROADWAY. (Lobby near elevator.)

PACIFIC ELECTRIC BLDG., 605-610 S. MAIN ST. (Lobby near elevator.)

C. WESLEY ROBERTS BLDG., THIRD AND MAIN. (Lobby near elevator.)

SAN FERNANDO BLDG., 402 S. MAIN. (Lobby opposite elevator.)

The location of additional boxes will be published as they are installed.

SPECIAL NOTICES—

REDIPHONE—WE HAVE ON HAND A FEW OF these handy telephone attachments, which are being distributed in connection with coupon books printed at 75 cents each, the coupon being redeemable in classified advertising in THE TIMES. Phone Main 8200, Home 10891, and our representative will call and attach the "REDIPHONE," free of charge, at the same time for the coupons delivered. One "REDIPHONE" only will be delivered to each purchaser.

FOR SALE—

OLIVE TREES.
OLIVE TREES.
MANZANILLOS AND MISSIONS.

Special low price in lots of 500 or more. First-class nursery stock, well rooted and calloused from a half to one inch. Delivery when desired.

ORDER NOW.
Address GEO. H. HAWKER,
Riverside, Cal.

NOTICE—THIS IS TO NOTIFY THE PUBLIC THAT Mr. James Delany is not in my employ, and I will not be responsible for any bills collected or contracted by him for me, or in the name of A. A. Clampitt Co. Dated this 12th day of February, 1916. Signed R. A. CLAMPITT, 300 Lake Shore ave., corner Colton st., Los Angeles, Cal.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT THE WORK heretofore granted to the residence of Sabah Satary, 406 N. Vermont ave., and will not be responsible for any bill or bills unless presented before Feb. 18, 1916. CHRIST VOLZ, HUGO SCHARPF.

WE WILL TREAT FREE, ONE OF THE WORST cases in the city of asthma, liver, kidney, piles and skin diseases to demonstrate our new treatment. GOLDEN STATE MEDICAL CO., 226 San Fernando bldg., Los Angeles.

WILL SELL FOR UNPAID BOARD BILL, ONE trunk containing men's clothing belonging to Harry E. Partington; unclaimed in 10 days. MRS. E. A. TRACEY, 1332 Vista Street, Hollywood.

I REPAIR TIME RECORDING CLOCKS, TIME stamps, cuckoo clocks, English hall and French mantel clocks. Estimates cheerfully furnished. Established home 6 years. S. P. DAYTON, 310 Grant Bldg. Phone F5678.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS for the real estate section of Sunday's Times will be printed under the heading of "Too Late to Classify" if not received before 5 p.m. Saturday.

HAVING LEFT MY WIFE, MARY E. EVANS, I shall not be responsible for any debts incurred by her. EARL EVANS, Merchants National Bank, Los Angeles, Cal.

FOR QUICK ACTION DROP ANSWERS TO Times "Liners" in Times' letter boxes in downtown office buildings. The locations of the boxes are printed in the first column of the Times "Liner" section.

PERSONAL—Business.

PERSONAL—GIFTED READER—Without asking a question I will tell you what is before you. Good reading 50c. Parlor, studio 215 S. Hill st. Phone A. F. STONE, 453 S. Hill st.

PERSONAL—PERSONAL—

THE MASONIC,
the noted palmist of London, Eng., may be consulted at 622 S. SPRING ST., by those desiring the most scientific and reliable hand readings from one of the foremost palmists of the day.
HIGH-CLASS PATRONAGE SOLICITED.

PERSONAL—PROF. ALTHOUSE, NOTED ASTROLOGER and palmist; thirty years in Los Angeles; issues beautiful, blended grade of work. High class patronage solicited. 621 S. BROADWAY.

PERSONAL—LAWYER IN BROKERAGE BUSINESS wishes desk room in lawyer's office, rent reasonable. PHONE Main 8634.

PERSONAL—
For quick action drop answers to Times "Liners" in Times' letter boxes in downtown office buildings. The locations of the boxes are printed in the first column of the Times "Liner" section.

PERSONAL—Business.

PERSONAL—AVOID THE RUSH
on Saturday. Make a practice of phoning your Sunday ads to The Times on Friday, day or night. Collection for the service will be made at your home or office. Main 8200. Home 10891.

PERSONAL—LADIES, ASK YOUR DRUGGIST FOR Chichester Pills, the Diamond brand, for 25 years known as the best, safest, always reliable. Take no other. Chichesters Diamond Brand Pills are sold everywhere.

PERSONAL—WANT THE ADDRESS OF H. F. JOHNson, or if deceased any one of his heirs, interested in collecting, with a motorcycle and sidecar, or if deceased any one of his heirs, interested in business in which there will be money coming to either him or proven heirs. Address G, box 571, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

PERSONAL—WANTED—PARTIES TO GO ON $4000 Federal bonds. Will pay $200 for accommodation. No risk. Give telephone number when replying. Address L, box 156, TIMES OFFICE.

PERSONAL—
HENLEY.
Noted California's Psychic,
Readings daily. See him. 317 W. THIRD.

PERSONAL—NEW ELECTRIC VACUUM CLEANER for rent, $1.25 day; free delivery and call. 25191.

PERSONAL—MME. JOSEPH OF CHICAGO, PALMist and psychic, reading 50c. 822 E. 12TH ST. Take Griffith ave. car.

PERSONAL—SPIRITUAL READINGS, DAILY. MRS. ROGERS, ordained psychic, 1056 S. Hill st.

PERSONAL — WOMEN'S DISEASES, ALL FEMALE troubles. 313 W. THIRD ST., Suite 308.

PERSONAL — MME. ORA, PALMIST, PSYCHIC, best 50c reading in city. 245½ S. SPRING.

CHURCH NOTICES—Miscellaneous.

COMING—THE "SON OF MAN." GOD'S LAST Great Prophet, will lecture at Burbank Hall, Wednesday 8 p.m., Feb. 16. Most learned Bible students are invited.

FLORISTS AND NURSERIES—

CALIMYRNA (SMYRNA) FIG TREES, 4-6-FT., 20 cents each, 3 4-FT., 15 cents each; Caprifigs, 25 cents each. Correspondence solicited. W. F. LOWE, Roberts, P. O., L. A. County

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS—

READ CURRENT NUMBER—
THE NEW AMERICAN WOMAN.
Published monthly; $1.50 per annum, single copy 15c. Clara Shortridge Foltz, Attorney, publisher and editor. Subscribe now. Send check, postal order or currency. Inquire for advertising rates. 724 MERCHANTS TRUST BLDG., Los Angeles. Phones, A5013, Main 3022.

READ OUR UNIQUE BOOK ON "RIGHTS OF THE Married." 50c, or with three double boxes fine stationery, postpaid, $1. Circular free. Address BOUTELLE PUBLISHING CO., Pasadena, Colorado 4069.

NOTICE—
CLASSIFIED REAL ESTATE ADVERTISEMENTS in the Sunday Times must be received before 5 p.m. Saturdays. Classified "Want Ads," etc., will be accepted until 11 p.m. Saturdays.

DOES YOUR ROOF LEAK?
Burkhart, the roofer, repairs and guarantees them. Phone SOUTH 6834 or 22462.

FURS REPAIRED AND REMODELED, EXPERT former, L. ENGLANDER, 1230 E. 58th st. South 3012.

BUSINESS MAN, ADDRESS, $1.00 FOR MONTH, 706 FERGUSON BLDG., Third and Hill. P0901.

SYSTEMATIZER, ACCOUNTING IN ALL LINES PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT, 1107 Story Bldg.

DR. MERADITH, SAN GABRIEL, CAL. PRACTICE limited to treatment of CANCER.

WANTED—Help Male.

NOTE—Applicants for positions are advised not to send original recommendations in answer to ads. Send duplicates only.

Space is not given under this heading to advertisements soliciting business patronage.

WANTED—
MURRAY & HEADY,
LEADING EMPLOYMENT AND LABOR AGENTS,
110 E. SECOND ST.

Engineer, steam shovel.
Craneman.
Fireman.
5 pit men.
Man and wife to saw sacks.
Slaughter house butcher, $60 month.
Married rancher, near city, $55 month, house.
Man and wife, chicken ranch, $40 to $60 month, house.
Man and wife, ranch, wife to cook, $50 to $60 month, found.
Chore boy, dairy ranch, $19 month, found.
Handy man, hotel, $50 month.

WANTED—WE GUARANTEE TO TEACH YOU TO drive an automobile and care for engine, thoroughly for $5. Both touring car and truck driving; the thorough equipment and instruction we able you to secure a position with our assistance, as it is superior to any other school. We use up-to-date, 7-passenger cars. Come and see for yourself. Classes forming now. Also examination Open Sundays, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. LOS ANGELES AUTOMOBILE DRIVING SCHOOL, 754 Wall st., three blocks east of Main. Main 3092, F62305. See information Course Adv.

WANTED—MANAGERS FOR LOCAL AND EASTERN territory to handle high grade article which will make you large and permanent business, with steady income; you must be able to finance yourself. Territory free. For interview call or address H. H. S. CO., 1238 Marsh-Strong Bldg.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED PRESSER ON LADIES' and men's clothing; both machine and hand. Good place for skilful man. Call personally. WOODWARD DYE WORKS.

WANTED—
A1 young single man stenographer and general office assistant for good bank and manufacturing concern in Arizona. Salary $75. Good future. Employer in town.
EDUCATIONAL EXPERT CO.,
704-705 Hass Bldg.

WANTED—2 BRICKLAYERS, SEWER WORK, Imperial Valley, $6 day; glass blower, wages arranged; butcher for slaughter house and shop, Imperial Valley, $15 week and board; sign painters, $3.50 day; chauffeur, private place, $40, room and board; no fee for securing. MUNICIPAL FREE EMPLOYMENT BUREAU, 208 Franklin st.

WANTED — CLERKS OR BRIGHT YOUNG MEN, under 25, reasonable schooling, to fit for RAILWAY MAIL CLERKS, starting salary now $75 month, with promotion soon. For successful coaching see IMMEDIATELY, MR. HOFF, 629 Security Bldg. (See Inst. Adv.)

WANTED—RAILWAY MAIL CLERKS.
For California; few young men, between 18 and 35 years, for GOVERNMENT RAILWAY POSTAL CLERKS; $75 with extra expense money; rapid promotion. See MISS WILSON, 601 Wesley Roberts Bldg. (See Inst. Adv.)

WANTED—LEARN AUTOMOBILE TRADE IN MOST reliable and complete school on Coast. NATIONAL SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING (established 1905,) 2110 W. Seventh st. Call and be convinced. Catalogue free. (See Instruction Course, adv.)

WANTED—4 MEN, AS SOLICITORS FOR HIGH class advertising proposition, for excellent confection, cakes, which are now for sale at all groceries. Steady position, factory. 2516 WEST WASHINGTON.

WANTED—COMPETENT OPERATOR, $65; YOUNG Elliott-Fischer biller, $50; stenographer and office assistant, $60; corporation book-keeper under 28, $70-$75. CALIFORNIA COMMERCIAL SERVICE, Brockman Bldg. Agency.

WANTED—BRIGHT YOUNG MAN, WITH SOME EXperience in collecting, with a motorcycle and letters of recommendation. 308 SPENCER, 533 Ct. Nat. Bank Bldg., 5th and Spring.

WANTED—BOY WITH WHEEL TO WORK IN drug store; no night or Sunday work. Call at 4400 MONETA AVE.

WANTED—LAWYER WITH ROADSTER TO COLlect dishonest accounts; salary, BITTLESTON'S, 217 Delta Bldg.

WANTED—SECOND COOK, CAMP COOK, PANTRY man, elevator boy. TOURIST EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 145 S. Spring st., Room 212.

WANTED—WORKING MANAGER FOR GENERAL ranch, stock, fruits, vegetables, hay, etc. Y. M. C. A., Vocational Dept.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS DENTIST OF GOOD APpearance, registered in Utah; good salary. Address WESTERN DENTAL SUPPLY COMPANY, Salt Lake City, Utah.

WANTED—
MEN AND BOYS LEARN AUTO TRADE. PAID WHILE LEARNING.
234 ALISO STREET.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED MAN FOR DYE WORKS route, salary, no commission; must be able to drive auto, prefer one with some trade. WOODWARD DYE WORKS.

WANTED—RELIABLE MAN WITH BOND TO HANdle established laundry route in city. Answer, giving present or last employment, information. Address H, box 441, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS EXPERIENCED LIQUOR mail order man. Address, giving references and full particulars regarding experience. Address N, box 154, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—A LIVE LUNCH COUNTER MANAGER who has established local credit, percentage basis. See L. M. WEST, 315 W. 3rd st.

WANTED—THOROUGHLY EXPERIENCED TOOL and die maker. HOTPOINT ELECTRIC HEATING CO., Ontario, Cal.

WANTED—SALESMEN, NEW YORK HOUSE HAS opening for successful salesman and solicitor, 10 to 12, room 4A, TIMES BLDG.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED PROMOTOR ABLE TO handle valuable newly patented invention. 1336 WEST 11TH.

WANTED—AT ONCE, AN EXPERIENCED CHIMney builder to rebuild chimney and art stone mantel. BUCKLE, 404 Grant Bldg.

WANTED—STRONG, EXPERIENCED LABORER TO help make new lawns. 20c hour at 208 S. ST. ANDREWS PLACE. Take Western ave. car.

WANTED — YOUNG MAN FOR A FINE SELLING proposition. 525 S. BROADWAY, 5th floor.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED MAN TO HELP INSTALL pumping plant. See L. TRUITT, 1315 W. 46th st. Home Phone 53161.

WANTED—MAN TO WORK IN NURSERY. APPLY 2256 E. 7TH ST.

WANTED—MEN TO LEARN BARBER TRADE, good wages while learning. 203 E. FIFTH ST.

WANTED—TOO HAVE FRIENDS WHO NEED INsurance, co-operate with me for half proceeds; I have auto. Address L, box 176, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—LEARN AUTOMOBILE DRIVING AND repairing. Y.M.C.A. AUTO SCHOOL. (See Instruction Course adv.)

WANTED — EXPERIENCED FOLDING BOX MAN for cylinder cutter and creaser. R. W. FRIDHAM CO., Los Angeles, Cal.

WANTED—SIGN PAINTER TO DO SOME WORK for meal tickets. SWANSON'S, 112 E. Ninth.

WANTED—Help Male.

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WANTED—EXPERIENCED HEAD WAITER FOR first-class restaurant. Give phone number. Address J, box 316, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—HUSTLING SOLICITORS; SALARY AND commission. 204 LUCKENBACH BLDG.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS HASH AND DOOR SOLICItor, man with machine preferred, good opening for right party. A4551; BROADWAY 5472.

WANTED—AT BUSHELMAN, MASON & KAAL, second floor, 618 S. SPRING ST.

WANTED—SMART BOY TO MAKE HIMSELF USEful around store, $3 week to start. 1216 S. MAIN ST.

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS OPERATOR ON MEN'S coats, steady work. 319 GERMAIN BLDG.

WANTED—Help, Male and Female. (Investment Required.)

WANTED—EARN $100 WEEKLY MANAGING CLEAN legitimate mail-order business. We furnish everything. Right party need not worry about capital. Splendid chance for intelligent, employed person to control independent business on profit-sharing basis, beginning in spare time evenings at home. Particulars free. OPPORTUNITIES EXCHANGE, Buffalo, N. Y.

WANTED—GOOD WIDEAWAKE MAN TO WORK IN and help run old-established manufacturing business, who can furnish $240 cash, can make $150 monthly. No previous experience necessary; large profits secured. Call evenings, 5019½ MONETA AVE.

WANTED—TO THE MAN WHO HAS $1000 TO INvest in four extra good used trucks, we can get hauling contract that will make a nice profit. See Mr. Jaques.
DON LEE, 12th and Main.

WANTED—STENOGRAPHER AND BOOK-KEEPER for mining camp in Arizona. Steady position and good salary for the right person. $500 investment required. Address BOX 437, KINGMAN, ARIZ.

WANTED—SOBER YOUNG MAN TO TAKE POSItion in business; pay $150 a month. $300 cash required; experience unnecessary. Call 326 W. THIRD, room 216.

WANTED—A MAN WITH A MACHINE, GO OUT in the country and work. 1507 S. HOOVER.

WANTED—Help, Female.

NOTE—Applicants for positions are advised not to send original recommendations in answer to ads. Send duplicates only.

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WANTED—
HAWLEY EMPLOYMENT COMPANY,
Elizabeth Keliher, Manager,
254 S. Broadway.

Cook, first-class resort hotel, country, $50; cook, small institution, $35; cook for help, family, Pasadena, $40; butler, Pasadena, $50; kitchen maid, family, Pasadena, $30; practical nurse and housekeeper in family of two, $40; cook, very nice place, $40; child's nurse and upstairs work, $30; child's nurse and upstairs work, Pasadena, $30; experienced chocolate dipper, $10 a week; pastry worker, Pasadena, $8 week; cook and general maid, small family, Hollywood, $30; plower in office today, $40; general house maids, city and country, $25 to $40.

WANTED—SECOND WORK, SMALL FAMILY, $30. A-1 home, Pasadena; good cook, $40; good cook, city, $40; cook, $30; maid in city, $40; $45, two in family, no laundry, city; $35; 4 adults, Wilshire section, plain cook and general work, $35; good cook, Van Nuys, $40; stenographer, easy place, $7; many other places to assist with housework, $20 to $25.

BONDED SERVICE COMPANY,
We supply the "Better Class" of Help.
316½ E. Fair Bldg., Third and Hill.

WANTED—HOUSEKEEPER FOR MAN, $25, FD.; five good demonstrations, $1.50 day; city; chambermaid, rooming-house, $9; another, first-class, $35; colored cook for ranch, $25; house girl, Santa Ana, $20; girl for mixed work, $20, found; two tray waitresses, $5; waitress, $7-$8; housework, $20 to $40. CALIFORNIA EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 115 East Second.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS MILLINERY DESIGNER for cut-of-town position; must have up-to-date experience and ability to take charge of designing for best trade; good salary to right person. Address, stating experience, H, box 541, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED — STENOGRAPHER, ABLE TO TAKE dictation in Spanish, $65; stenographer and general office assistant, $50; temporary typist, $2.50 per day. CALIFORNIA COMMERCIAL SERVICE, Brockman Bldg. Agency.

WANTED—NEAT APPEARING STENOGRAPHER; ONE WHO CAN MEET THE PUBLIC. LIGHT WORK. SPLENDID OPPORTUNITY FOR ADVANCEMENT. SALARY TO START $6 PER WEEK. APPLY AT ONCE, A. G. WILCOX, 1010 VAN NUYS BLDG.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS SALESWOMAN, ladies' and children's ready-to-wear department; must be experienced. Apply PROF. DAVIS, 208 Mercantile Place.

WANTED—MANICURIST AND HAIRDRESSER; ten hotel waitresses; housekeeper for private home; 3 chambermaids; restaurant cook; officer's hall waitress. TOURIST EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 145 S. Spring st. Room 210.

WANTED—A GIRL TO ASSIST WITH GENERAL housework for board and room and small compensation. No objection to schoolgirl. Good home for the right one. 1940 W. 27TH ST. Phone West 1000.

WANTED—NEAT COLORED GIRL OF GOOD APpearance with references, for housework in family of three adults. No washing. $6 per week. Or home nights. Apply Tuesday. 232 HIGGINS BLDG.

WANTED—RELIABLE WOMAN, PAST 50, HOUSEkeeper, for elderly couple. Must be unincumbered, healthy and good natured, good home, $15 month. No washing. Address M, box 191, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—RUSSIAN OR SWEDISH WOMAN TO work in restaurant in the country, wages $30 per month, board and room. Call between 10 and 11 today. 321 TEMPLE ST.

WANTED — COMPETENT WHITE MAID, GENeral housework, 9-room house, small family, good wages; no washing. 1808 HIGHLAND AVE., Hollywood. Hollywood 2121.

WANTED—EXPERT AND EXPERIENCED LADY TO make silk shirts for man. Address N, box 62, TIMES OFFICE, giving price per shirt and references.

WANTED—STUDENTS, $10 MONTHLY, EVENINGS, $5. Board, room, tuition, can be earned. Catalogue free. Positions assured. MACKAY-BUSINESS COLLEGE, 9063 S. Main. See Instruction Course Adv.

WANTED — LADY SOLICITORS TO SELL 25C article; can be sold to every one; something new. Big profit. MR. WILLIAMS, 316 Story Bldg. Call afternoons.

WANTED—WOMAN LIVING ALONE WILL GIVE board and nice room to Spanish woman or one able to read and write Spanish and English, in exchange for light housework. Phone mornings VERMONT 4516.

WANTED—MANAGER, APARTMENT-HOUSE, Local experience, $40 and apartment, married woman preferred. BUMMEL, BROS. & CO., 116 East Second st.

WANTED—YOUNG LADY SINGER FOR VAUDEville act. Must have good voice and figure. Previous experience unnecessary. For appointment phone BROADWAY 240, room 210, before noon.

WANTED—A YOUNG LADY TO ASSIST IN NEWS stand. State wages; cannot pay big salary; must give good references. Address J, box 306, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—FOUR HOUSE-TO-HOUSE DEMONSTRAtors, no peddling. Pleasant work in city and unusually liberal commissions to those who mean business. Write or call, 3084 S. MAIN ST., City.

WANTED—SALESLADY BY MANUFACTURER OF aluminum cooking utensils to work in stores, salary and commission. Give phone number. Address N, box 204, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—WAITRESSES, STEADY WORK; ALSO extra girls for dinner work. Apply at once to HEAD WAITRESS, Hotel Rosslyn, corner Fifth and Main sts.

WANTED—NEAT APPEARING GIRL, LIVING AT home, for light work in dental office; experience not necessary; $5 per week; state age. Address N, box 60, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED CORSET SALESWOMAN, understands fitting and alterations, $50, $60, out of town. PACIFIC SERVICE CO., 531 Mason Bldg.

WANTED—GOOD GENERAL HOUSE SERVANT, Japanese, for family of two; must be good cook. Japanese woman preferred. Address DRAWER 128, Glendora, Calif.

WANTED—THREE LADIES TO LEARN BEAUTY culture and hairdressing, free of charge; good opening. LEADER COLLEGE, 228 Mercantile Place, Mrs. Harris. (See adv. "To Learn Trades.")

WANTED—CAPABLE LADY OF GOOD ADDRESS, who is willing to accept a liberal commission, on results of her work; references required. Address H, box 591, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—4 WOMEN AS SOLICITORS FOR HIGH class advertising proposition for excellent confection, cakes, which are now for sale at all groceries; steady position, factory 2516 WEST WASHINGTON.

WANTED—GENTLEMAN DESIRES HOUSEKEEPer, state age, wages. Phone. Address J, box 213, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—GIRL FOR LIGHT HOUSEWORK FROM 7:30 to 3. Sleep home. $15 month and car fare. PHONE 58337.

WANTED—GIRL TO ASSIST WITH HOUSEWORK and two small children; wages $20 to $25 a month. 334 S. RENO ST. 53648.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED GIRL FOR SECOND work and care of 5-year-old child. Apply mornings. 747 S. UNION AVE. 51141.

WANTED—LADIES TO TAKE OUR COURSE IN Swedish massage, we have good positions waiting. See us at once. 209½ S. BROADWAY. See Ins. Adv.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED MILLINERY MAKERS, A. L. SWOBODA, 749 South Broadway.

WANTED—5TH STREET STORE REQUIRES THE services of experienced girls for millinery. Apply to SUPERINTENDENT, 9:30 to 10:30 a.m.

WANTED—SCHOOL GIRL, LIGHT WORK, MORNing and evening, small wages. Phone SOUTH 4255-W.

WANTED—WOMAN IN SMALL APARTMENT, light housework. 529 CALIFORNIA ST. Queen Apartments, Room 302.

WANTED—SEAMSTRESS, CLEVER WITH CHILdren's sewing. 79902.

WANTED—Help, Female.

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WANTED — DRESSMAKER AND MILLINER TO rent space in ladies' tailoring establishment. Will give 3 weeks' rent free. Call at 609 W. JEFFERSON.

WANTED — COMPETENT GIRL FOR GENERAL housework, in small family; must be good cook. Apply 2295 W. 29TH ST.

WANTED—GOOD A NO. 1 COOK, ONE THAT CAN serve preferred; none but first-class need apply. 315 S. FIFTH ST., Alhambra, Cal.

WANTED—ELDERLY LADY, GOOD HOUSEKEEPer, with $800, for a small sanatorium. Address M, box 160, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—GIRL FOR CONFECTIONERY STORE; soda fountain. 2407 CENTRAL AVE. Call after 12.

WANTED—GOOD PLAIN COOK, MUST HAVE REFerences. BROADWAY 4917, A1616.

WANTED — WOMAN OR GIRL AS MOTHER'S helper. Call GARVANZA 1040.

WANTED — YOUNG WOMAN FOR GENERAL housework. PHONE 72073.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED CORSET SALESWOMAN, understands fitting and alterations, $50, $60, out of town. PACIFIC SERVICE CO., 531 Mason Bldg.

WANTED—RELIABLE WOMAN TO HELP TAKE care of sick lady. 625 S. BREED ST.

WANTED—WOMAN FOR GENERAL HOUSEWORK, 1001 W. 8TH.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED MILLINERY MAKERS, A. L. SWOBDI, 749 S. Broadway.

WANTED—Help, Male and Female.

WANTED—A GOOD FEMALE EXPERIENCED COOK for man for helper, wages $15. Phone Pasadena, FAIR OAKS 4-W-2.

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WANTED—MAN AND WIFE TO TAKE CARE OF small apartment-house on E. Fourth st.; apartment free. See EICKENHOFFER & PURCELL, 833 S. Grand ave.

WANTED—Help, Male and Female. (To Learn Trades.)

WANTED — LEARN BEAUTY CULTURE, HAIR manufacturing; student wants. LEADER COLLEGE OF HAIRDRESSING, 228 Mercantile Place. Mrs. Harris.

WANTED—Help, Male and Female. (Instruction Courses.)

WANTED—WANT TO WORK IN THE MOVIES? Not a correspondence school, but practical information regarding method of training, how, when and where to apply. What to do and what not to do. Invaluable to anyone seeking employment. All questions intelligently answered; complete list of studios, etc. Send $1 for full information. Address DIRECTOR, 630 S. Grand ave., Los Angeles.

WANTED—WE GUARANTEE TO TEACH YOU TO drive an automobile and care of engine thoroughly, for $5. Both touring car and truck driving. LOS ANGELES AUTOMOBILE DRIVING SCHOOL, 754 Wall st.

WANTED—LEARN AUTOMOBILE TRADE IN A real school under expert supervision. Established 1905. NATIONAL SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING, 2110 W. Seventh.

WANTED—STUDENTS, $10 MONTHLY, EVENINGS, $5. Board room, tuition, can be earned. Catalogue free. Positions assured. MACKAY BUSINESS COLLEGE, 9063 S. Main.

WANTED—
MOTION PICTURE ACTING
taught at HOLLYWOOD PHOTOPLAY STUDIO, 5624 Virginia ave. Home 50162.

WANTED—RAGTIME PIANO PLAYING TAUGHT in 20 lessons; write for booklet. CHRISTENSEN SCHOOL OF POPULAR MUSIC, 23 Walker Bldg. Main 2176; F5793.

WANTED—ALL ACTING AND STAGE DANCING our specialty. MORBUD THEATRICAL SCHOOL, 3014 S. Grand ave.

WANTED—SOME ONE TO TEACH LADY HOW TO play auction bridge. Address TM, box 424, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED — YOUNG MEN PREPARE FOR RAILway mail clerks. MISS WILSON, 601 Wesley Roberts Bldg.

WANTED—WE TEACH YOU IN TWO WEEKS THE Swedish massage. 209½ S. BROADWAY.

WANTED—YOUNG MEN TO PREPARE FOR RAILway mail clerks, salary starting $75 month. MR. HOFF, 629 Security Bldg.

WANTED—GET Y.M.C.A. AUTO SCHOOL. Get started right. 721 S. HOPE.

WANTED—SALESMEN—Agents and Solicitors.

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WANTED—CAPABLE REPRESENTATIVE TO SELL the COMBINATION LIFE, ACCIDENT AND HEALTH policy issued exclusively by the PACIFIC MUTUAL LIFE—"Your Own Home Company." Organized 1868. Assets over $30,000,000. LIBERAL AGENCY CONTRACT. Call or address JOHN NEWTON RUSSELL, JR., Manager, Home Office Building Annex, Sixth and Olive sts.

WANTED—SPECIALTY SALESMEN, GENTEEL IN appearance, between 25 and 40 years of age; leads furnished; no house-to-house canvassing; position permanent; pays $50 weekly and more; character references required. Call 9 to 11 a.m., 322 Lissner Bldg. Ask for MR. STRAUHAL.

WANTED—AN AGENT WHO OWNS AN AUTO TO sell a live article to garages. Only a hustler who can sell goods need apply. For full particulars write the J. L. KUNZ MACHINERY CO., Milwaukee, Wis.

WANTED—AGENTS CAPABLE OF HANDLING OWN crew for latest specialty on the market, sold direct to consumer or through retailer; very small capital starts you. Call or write MONON MFG. CO., room 521, Black Bldg. Los Angeles.

WANTED—ADVERTISING SALESMEN TO SELL high grade line of merchandise for premium plans to merchants; liberal commission. Address M, box 208, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—PROMINENT MANUFACTURER OF ADvertising line of aluminum cooking utensils, wants A1 salesman for exclusive territory; expenses advanced weekly; liberal commission basis. Phone number. Address N, box 205, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—SOLICITORS, EXPERIENCED; FOR attractive premium proposition. Permanent position if qualified and chance to later leave city; A1 references required. 1227 WASHINGTON BLVD., Chicago, Ill.

WANTED—FOUR SALESMEN TO SELL DIRECT TO the consumer, article in great demand. No competition. From $6 to $12 per day easily made. See MR. KRAEMER, 1043 S. Hope st., 4 to 6 p.m.

WANTED—2 SALESMEN. CALL 9 TO 11 A.M. BUSHNELL, 627 S. Broadway.

WANTED—Situations, Male.

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WANTED—WILL OFTEN, CLOSE AND KEEP YOUR books by the hour, week or month, correspondence, typewriting and collections a specialty. Temporary work solicited. References furnished, or bond if required. Address ACCOUNTANT, 114 N. HOPE ST.

WANTED—BRIGHT YOUNG JAPANESE, WELL educated, good character, desires position as butler or valet, particularly in east or traveling to inland or abroad, as their useful servant. Best references. Address BARB TANAKA, 426 W. 6th st.

WANTED—SITUATION AS MANAGER BY EDUcated married man with family; life time experience with pure bred stock, modern farming methods, sanitary dairying, alfalfa; 2 years' California experience. Address box 54, SANTA FE, N. M.

WANTED—POSITION BY CHAUFFEUR, SWEDISH man, reliable, industrious, careful driver; also used to garden work; 6 years' experience; local references. Address H, box 337, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—RESIDENCE CLEANING, ANY KIND, vacuum, floors, etc. Have your spring cleaning done now by reliable colored worker. Honest and efficient. Suburban points included. For prompt service, phone F5902, MAIN 3898.

WANTED—MIDDLE-AGED MAN, SOBER AND RELIable, wants place in private home, understands all kinds of work around a house or as

Classified Liners.

TO LET—
Furnished Rooms.
—LOW RATES.

THE MOUNTVIEW, for transients and comfortable home. FIFTH AND HOPE STS.

Be right, getting fine sun air and sunshine; light and clean; newly tinted; single rooms and small apartments; fine location; if you now want the sunshine in your rooms don't overlook this. Broadway; our prices are low; rooms under the most pleasant conditions and maintenance most excellent; small apartments, $3 to $5 per week; single rooms, $1 to $4 per week. 500 to 51. You will like them. 1000 Hope.

THE IMPERIAL, 332 S. Grand, at Ninth, moderate-priced downtown hotel, under management of SOLID COMFORT. PRIVATE SHOWER OR TUB BATHS. Rates $1 per day and up with private bath. Cafe and cafeteria. Convenient to SHOPPING THEATER DISTRICT. Large, light and airy; phone, clean, comfortable rooms; writing desks all rooms. Phone Broadway 4704. Home 60151. HOTEL IMPERIAL. E. KNIGHT SANFORD, MANAGER.

$1 PER DAY MONTH. CLEAN COMFORTABLE rooms, plenty hot water, everything furnished; private bathroom privileges; electric lights; 'phone; reasonable rates. Phone 10-11 S. WASHINGTON, opposite Polytechnic High School.

TO LET—WESTLAKE DISTRICT, 615 BONNIE BRAE, between Sixth and Seventh. Private home, newly decorated throughout, fireplaces, furnished attractively, all for rent or will sell furniture; rent reasonable; 'phone 10577. Call at house morning or evening south swing. 52977. Call or address 615 Bonnie Brae.

NEW ROSEGROVE HOTEL—Beautifully furnished, sunny, all outside rooms, all private baths and showers, steam heat, elevator service, fireproof, ideal location, only 2 blocks to Central Park. Low rates. 532 S. FLOWER.

TO LET—NEWLY-FURNISHED OUTSIDE ROOMS, sunny suite, $2 per week. 709 OTTAWA ST., between 7th and 8th, 2 blocks from car. Phone Home 10-11 S. WASHINGTON, opposite Polytechnic High School.

TO LET—SOUTH ALAN, 220 E. SECOND. STRICTLY modern; 2 blocks Plaza lobby. $2 per week.

TO LET—
Unfurnished Rooms.

TO LET—2 OR 3 UNFURNISHED ROOMS ON DOUBLER. CALL AT 816 EAST NINTH ST.

TO LET—
Unfurnished Flats.

$12.50—UNFURNISHED 5-ROOM FLAT, 1 block from Westlake Park, entering especially to families and tourists; take Seventh st. car, stop at Westlake ave. WILSHIRE 340. HOME 51011.

TO LET—FORTUNA HOTEL, 510½ S. Fifth. $2 per week up; outside sunny rooms and housekeeping apartments; private bath; steam heat; brick building.

TO LET — NEW STILLWELL, 10-STORY FIRE-proof hotel, 225 rooms, each with private bath; $1.50 per day and up; special rates to permanent guests. 639 S. HILL. 60297.

TO LET—COLUMBIA HOTEL, CORNER 7TH AND San Pedro. New brick. Private baths. $2 to $6 per week.

TO LET— THE WILSHIRE. Americus at 37th. Thoroughly Modern. Home 54728. 971 S. CORONADO. Wil. 1084.

TO LET—
Rooms and Board.

TO LET — HOTEL FIGUEROA, 10TH AND FIGUEROA, ocean views, large lawns, open fireplaces, tennis courts and pool free; home service, with homelike atmosphere. Special permanent rates. Phone 10-11 S. WASHINGTON, opposite Polytechnic High School.

TO LET—ST. JAMES HOTEL, 617 W. 33RD, BEAUTIful sunny steam-heated rooms, with or without private baths, continuous hot water; parlors, periods, flowers, etc.; very attractive and homelike; excellent meals; reasonable rates. University car. Phones: HOME 20161. WEST 144.

TO LET — EXQUISITELY CLEAN, MODERN CONvenience, radiators, wholesome meals, excellent cooking. 230 1pp; walking distance. HOTEL NOTTINGHAM, 918 W. Sixth. Free bus. A3491; Main 7017.

TO LET—1944 SOUTH FIGUEROA ST., JUST opened, elegant home with every modern convenience, beautiful sunny rooms, private baths, steam heat, excellent meals, moderate rate. PHONE 21784.

TO LET — BELLEVUE TERRACE, 3RD AND FIGUEROA. ROOMS AND BOARD, $6 WEEK UP. ROOMS ONLY $2 WEEK UP. 10 MINUTES TO BROADWAY. CHILDREN WELCOME. M. 4445. 60262.

TO LET—2 LARGE, SUNNY ROOMS, WITH BOARD, southeast and southwest exposure, built-in dressers in closets, sleeping porch, garage. Westlake district; terms very moderate. 1214 S. HOPE ST.

TO LET—SINGLE AND LARGE CORNER FRONT rooms, suitable for couple, hot and cold water; furnace heat, excellent table; handsome private home. 1204 ORANGE ST.

TO LET—NICE, COMFORTABLE ROOM WITH PRIvate family. All conveniences and privileges of a home. With or without board. 918 W. 18TH ST. 20258.

TO LET—ROOM AND BOARD IN EXCELLENT Spanish house, family style, near downtown district. Good opportunity for practice Spanish. 1217 S. HILL ST. Phone Home F1650.

TO LET—IDEAL HOME FOR TUBERCULAR PAtients, reasonable rates. 317 N. HOLLENBECK. Boyle 622.

TO LET—NEAR WESTLAKE PARK, VERY SUNNY front room, adjoining bath, mahogany furniture; furnace heat; excellent meals. 831 WESTLAKE AVE. 52516.

TO LET—ROOMS AND BOARD AT 416 SOUTH ALVARADO ST., overlooking Westlake Park. 52167.

TO LET—ATTRACTIVE ROOMS, BREAKFAST AND evening dinner, tabled home. 1107 WESTLAKE AVE. 53676.

TO LET — ROOMS AND BOARD, WALKING DIStance, home privileges, $20 per month. 1627 ORANGE ST.

TO LET—BOARDING HOME FOR YOUNG LADIES, near Westlake Park; sunny rooms with board, $4.50 up. 746 S. CORONADO. 52501.

TO LET—BY SPANISH FAMILY, ROOMS WITH board. 1138 INGRAHAM, between Seventh and Sixth.

TO LET—DELIGHTFUL ROOM IN PRIVATE home; sunny; board; $30; piano, billiard table. PHONE 21326.

TO LET—NICE ROOMS AND MOST EXCELLENT board, 1226 S. ALVARADO. 52132. West 524.

TO LET—SINGLE AND DOUBLE ROOMS, EXcellent table, 1250 S. HOPE ST. 20081.

TO LET—THE ALAMO, FURNISHED ROOMS WITH board, moderate rates. 653 WESTLAKE AVE.

TO LET—YOUNG WOMEN'S BOARDING HOME. Modern, daily and weekly rates. 514 S. GRAND.

TO LET—
Rooms and Board for Children.

TO LET — DAY AND BOARDING SCHOOL, OUTdoor study, kindergarten, grades, high school, music, languages. WILSHIRE 4080.

TO LET—WANTED—CHILDREN TO BOARD. 444 E. SANTA BARBARA AVE. Maple car.

TO LET—
Unfurnished Houses.

TO LET—SEVEN-ROOM, TWO-STORY HOUSE, basement, wash trays; bathroom, water heater; gas, electricity, walnut buffet, three sunny bedrooms; high ground, good neighborhood; fine view; fruit trees, flowers, $25.50, water paid. 507 ROSEMONT. Temple street cars.

TO LET—SEVEN MODERN 5-ROOM BUNGALOWS, near branch Library and Avenues 60 and 61 and Pasadena ave. Highland Park; $13 to $20 month, near car line. Apply SHEPHERD & CO., corner York blvd. and Pasadena ave.

TO LET—3 NEAT 5-ROOM STRICTLY MODERN bungalows at $15 month; water paid. Location Lincoln avenue, between Avenues 50 and 51, near end of York blvd. car line. Apply LEE SOULE, 6001 York blvd.

TO LET—NEW 5-ROOM BUNGALOW, HIGH and dry, $14.50. 4 rooms, 2 lots, 1917 Mt. Royal ave. $15—4 rooms, 2 large lots, 4 chicken yards. 1922 Opoutes ave. $12—4 rooms, fruit and vines; 1716 Mt. Royal avenue. $15—4 rooms, 1512 N. Avenue 56. $15—4 rooms, 1635 Mt. Royal avenue. $17—4 rooms, 1504 N. Avenue 56. $20—Partly furnished, 5 rooms, 1600 N. Ave. 56. Houses will be open for inspection daily from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., prices all include water. Take York Blvd. yellow Garvanza car to corner Avenue 56 and York Blvd. Or north Garvanza 821. 20077.

TO LET — ELEGANT 12-ROOM RESIDENCE AT 810 SOUTH RAMPART, ACROSS FROM THE RAMPART AND BRANSON APARTMENTS. SIX LARGE BEDROOMS. THIS IS CERTAINLY A HIGH CLASS HOME IN A HIGH CLASS NEIGHBORHOOD. FOR INFORMATION CONCERNING KEY AND LOWEST PRICE, PHONE RENTAL DEPARTMENT, ROBERT MARSH & CO., 200 MARSHSTRONG BLDG. 10175; MAIN 5045.

TO LET—1906 Ivalo, corner 12th, cottage 5 rooms, 2 bedrooms, all newly decorated throughout, first-class condition, high ground. Key and further information WRIGHT-CALLENDER-ANDREWS CO., Ground Floor. 403 S. HILL.

TO LET—NEARLY NEW ATTRACTIVE 7-ROOM bungalow, southwest corner 54th and Budlong. Garage, lawn, paved streets, $30, including water and care lawn. Owner, 1121 E. 57th street. South 5840-W. or Agent, BARDLEY, corner opposite, Vermont 4060.

TO LET — DANDY NEW SIX-ROOM BUNGALOW, HARDWOOD FLOORS, ALL LATEST BUILT-IN FEATURES; RENT ONLY $15 PER MONTH. REMEMBER, THIS IS A BRAND NEW HOUSE AND HAS NEVER BEEN OCCUPIED. GET KEY AT 2520 AND WEST ADAMS.

TO LET—TELEPHONE MAIN 6902 FOR DETAILS. Call 1311 Allison ave. to inspect small houses, never occupied, unexcelled equipment, economical housekeeping, little labor; perfect for business women or two wanting privacy with high-class apartment conveniences.

TO LET—REDUCED RENT; HANDSOME RESIdence, 9 rooms, furnace, garage, choice neighborhood, 62-foot lot; 2627 Kenwood ave., near Adams. Option to purchase; rent reduced one year's time or installments. B. VERCH, 443 Bradbury Bldg.

TO LET—WILSHIRE DISTRICT. 220 S. MANHATtan Place, $85; my strictly modern 2-story 11-room home, finished in mahogany and oak, 2½ baths, servant's room, with bath; furnace, garage, fine lawn and flowers. 568602; WILSHIRE 4516.

TO LET—FINE 7-ROOM BUNGALOW, AND SIX rooms, southwest, 6-room bungalow near Normal. New and modern; reasonable. 922 VAN NUYS BLDG. Call for time to see.

TO LET—6-ROOM COTTAGE, MODERN, 2074 W. 10th st. Take 10th st. car, get off at Arlington, $16 a month, water paid. House unlocked. If satisfactory see E. BUNDY, 2123 W. 21st.

TO LET—UNFURNISHED, STRICTLY MODERN 6-room bungalow and garage, high and sightly, northwest section; adults. Call 520 N. VERMONT AVE. 59005.

TO LET—MODERN 6-ROOM BUNGALOW, JUST like new, sunny rooms, garage, cement driveway, restricted neighborhood. $25. 3042 DENKER AVE. Vermont 2961.

TO LET—MODERN 4-ROOM BUNGALOW, GARAGE, close in. 2216 STANFORD AVE. $16, water paid.

TO LET—NEW MODERN 5-ROOM BUNGALOW, $16.50; oak floors, linoleums in kitchen and bath, corner Exposition and Halldale. WEST 2631.

TO LET—$12 NEW MODERN 3-ROOM BUNGAlow, cast front, built-in bed, lawn cared for, water paid. 4511 HOOPER AVE.

TO LET—MODERN 4-ROOM BUNGALOW, DESIRable, Grand ave. car line, $20. 842 W. 42ND PLACE.

TO LET — $25, WATER PAID, 6-ROOM MODERN bungalow, 925 W. 43rd place, near Manual Arts High. A1620. 419 SECURITY BLDG.

TO LET—CONVENIENT, MODERN BUNGALOWS, near car line, $13 and $17, water free. Phone HOLLYWOOD 1811.

TO LET—MODERN 7-ROOM BUNGALOW ON 41 st place, near Manual Arts High School and Exposition Park. In first-class condition. Reasonable. VERMONT 431.

TO LET—BUNGALOW, UNFURNISHED, FOUR rooms and bath. 1407 WRIGHT ST.

TO LET—5 ROOMS WITH BATH. RENT $10 A month. 150 WEST 20TH ST.

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Furnished Houses.

TO LET—
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For Sale, Exchange, Lease, Wanted.

FOR SALE — OR EXCHANGE—BARGAIN IN downtown hotel, elegant location, fine brick building, 42 rooms, good furniture and carpets, low rent, long lease and at bargain price. If you are a buyer you will buy this if you see it. Owner leaving city. See VINTON, 341 S. Hill st.

FOR SALE—THINK OF THE RENT. THINK OF the price. 45 single rooms, corner, well furnished, all men roomers, located between 6th and 7th sts. Rent $100 month, 3 years' lease; price $1000. Some terms. See this grand chance. KEYSTONE CO., Room 1, 657½ S. Hill.

FOR SALE—$450 BUYS 14 ROOMS, WEST HAMBURGER'S close in, all one floor, beautifully furnished, rent $40; good lease, no vacancies, arrange easy terms if you want a money maker see this. Call 300 GRANT BLDG., 4th and Broadway.

FOR SALE—DON'T OVERLOOK THESE TWO SPECials; 82 rooms, single, running water, rent $150, with two months' free rent. Price $1000, all clear. Also 62 single rooms, corner East 5th. Rent $130. Price $900. Hurry, you speculators. SCHLITT, 328 Story Bldg.

FOR SALE—SEE THIS SACRIFICE, 12 ROOMS. Two-story rent, greatest bargain in town, all outside rooms, very clean, walking distance, West side, all rented; price $350. 328 STORY BLDG.

FOR SALE—A GEM, 17 ROOMS, REST OF FURnishings; rent $45 month. Lease; close to fifth st. All filled. Price $375. Other bargains. KEYSTONE CO., Room 1, 657½ S. Hill.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—46-ROOM EAST SIDE hotel, rent $100, lease 3 years; make offer or will sell ½ interest. BOSS HOTEL, 704 Traction, near East 3rd st.

FOR SALE — 42-ROOM APARTMENT, CORNER, west, near Pico, well furnished, income $310 month. Rent $3.70 room. Tenants pay gas and electricity. Price $1500. 328 STORY BLDG.

FOR SALE—34 ROOMS, ALWAYS FULL, SICKNESS cause of selling. Agents need not apply. MAIN 9?

FOR SALE—IN SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA CITY OF 20,000 population, hotel business, three-story brick building, 60 rooms, table license. Price $12,500, a great snap. Address M, box 200, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—$2500, HOTEL SAVOY, 137 S. BROADway, 50-room, hot and cold running water. Money maker.

FOR SALE—A GOOD PAYING HOTEL IN PROSPEROUS Southern California city of 15,000; bargain for quick sale. Property must go. Enquire E. H. PLATT, 326 Wilcox Bldg. Main 758, F40641.

FOR SALE—CLOSE TO SEVENTH ST., 26 SINgle rooms, running water; rent $75 month; lease, extra well furnished, clean, home place, some transient. Price $660. KEYSTONE CO., Room 1, 657½ S. Hill.

FOR SALE—
Paying rooming-house. 231 NORTH BROADWAY.

APARTMENT HOUSES—
For Sale, Exchange, Lease, Wanted.

FOR EXCHANGE—FURNITURE AND LEASE OF 75-room apartment-house in Los Angeles district, every late equipment; elegant frontal appearance, low rental; building spacious, airy, elegant; furniture fine, massive, strong; faces millionaire park. If lately acquired this beautiful home; but being a world traveler have no time to manage it, hence must force a deal today. Price $40,000 clear; all trade, or all time, will secure; lately sold for $18,000 cash; some direct to owner on premises, 611 S. UNION AVE. Take W. Ninth st. cars to Union ave. Hours 10 to 3 only. Phone: Wilshire 7. Home 556901.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—THE BEST BUY IN apartment-house, furniture and lease in city. Close in; pays 20 per cent; brick building; 40 rooms; modern in every way; good furniture and furnishings. Three years' lease. Rent $175; price $2150; this is positively a money-maker and must be sold. See CLARK, 341 S. Hill st.

FOR SALE—PASADENA, FURNISHED OR UNFURnished, three suite apartment house. All occupied. Value $6500. Snap. Owner needs money. See and make offer. A. L. BUCKS, Huntington Park.

FOR SALE—
Furnished Flats.

FOR SALE—FURNISHED FOUR-ROOM NEW FLAT, complete, everything good as new, high grade furniture, all ready to move in, fine neighborhood. Puneet. PHONE South 3218.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Business Property.

FOR EXCHANGE—HAVE OCEAN FRONTAGE AT Santa Monica, valued at $126,000 with only $17,000 against. Remember, ocean frontage is limited and will enhance rapidly in value. Will exchange for clear acreage or clear eastern and northern. Address Pu, box 313, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—FINE NEW 2-STORY BUILDING or four flats of four rooms each; fine rental property, also garage for two machines; located on block place near Vermont ave. Will accept vacant lot, ranch, small home or any good property. Balance can be assumed. MATTHEWS & MATTHEWS, 420 Washington Bldg. Main 3335.

FOR EXCHANGE—$4,000 EQUITY CLOSE IN ON Pico st.
GEO. RISSMAN.
219 Wright & Callender Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Houses.

FOR EXCHANGE—PARTY OWNING BUNGALOW worth around $2000, practically clear, in nearby suburban town, and wishing to move into city, can exchange advantageously for fine property about 12 minutes from center; lot with two houses; not new, but just put in perfect condition. Front, 7 rooms; three bedrooms. Rear, 4 rooms. Can be rented for about enough to carry interest on the $12500, 5-year mortgage. MYRON T. HOLCOMB, 211 Grosse Bldg. A4932. Main 2525.

FOR EXCHANGE — PROPERTY IN SOUTHWEST. We offer 10 uncompleted bungalows and two completed ones, all in the same tract. Will exchange for lots, houses and lots or any satisfactory property provided arrangements can be made to complete the houses.
MATTHEWS & MATTHEWS,
426 Washington Bldg. Main 3335.

FOR EXCHANGE—BY OWNER—$4500, MY SIX-room modern home at East Hollywood, close to schools and stores. Has garage and outbuilding, rented $25 per month. Mortgage $2500; cash loan about 3 years to run, 7 per cent. Must have $900 cash. Balance vacant lot or automobile. Don't answer unless you can raise the $900 cash. By owner. Address N, box 160, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—
6-room bungalow, value $3500, A-1 condition, bath, hardwood floors, in Highland Park, desire to exchange for 4-room bungalow in Boyle Heights, or south or southwest or would take clear acreage. ROLAND BOLGIANO, 1216 Haas Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—NEAT AND BEAUTIFUL 5-ROOM bungalow in Highland Park near Branch Library. Will accept vacant lot or house and lot in other location. MATTHEWS & MATTHEWS, 426 Washington Bldg. Main 3335.

FOR EXCHANGE—5-ROOM HOUSE IN GOOD LOcation in Nebraska, good town. Inside toilet, electric light and city water. What have you? Owner, W. E. FERGUSON, 510 American Bank Bldg., Los Angeles, Cal.

FOR EXCHANGE — LARGE HOUSE BUILT FOR two families, Hollywood. Value $15,000; mortgage $6000. Want northern land or orange grove. PROUSE, A2790. Broadway 3619.

FOR EXCHANGE—FOR MEMPHIS OR CENTRAL Virginia property, $5300 equity in rented home near West Adams st. J. C. GREEN, 802 Van Nuys Bldg. Main 4060, 14059.

FOR EXCHANGE—CLEAR SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA property for your equity in a 5-room cottage on a corner lot. 1104 E. SEVENTH ST.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Lots.

FOR EXCHANGE—$2000, CLEAR, 50 FT. EAST front lot, on Western ave. Want cheaper lot and cash or small cheap cottage, same value. Call 200 GRANT BLDG., 4th and Broadway. F2160.

FOR EXCHANGE — I HAVE 3 WELL-LOCATED lots on yellow car line; will trade with little cash for good roadster or cut-down car. 5968S1.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Suburban Property.

FOR EXCHANGE—¼ ACRE IN WATTS, 2-ROOM house, fruit trees, windmill, good soil; for late model machine, 5-passenger car; incumbrance $175. Have been offered $1000 for property. Address N, box 265, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—ONE ACRE AT LANKERSHIM, improved fruit, chicken yards and 5-room house. Price $2500. Exchange for house and lot in city. FULLER, 333 S. Hill. F4162; Main 2482.

FOR EXCHANGE—SIX ACRES, LANKERSHIM CORner, $5500; want bungalow, Main-Moneta clear for clear. J. C. GREEN, 802 Van Nuys Bldg. Main 4060, 14059.

FOR EXCHANGE—WANT CITY OR BEACH FOR subdivision acreage. Will assume to $3000. OWNER, evenings, 20851.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Country Property.

FOR EXCHANGE—BY OWNER.
My 51-acre home farm at Aztec, New Mexico. About 20 acres alfalfa, 4 acres apples and cherries coming; about 6 acres corn land, balance pasture and garden truck land. 7-room house and outbuildings. Fine irrigation water right, close to schools, stores, etc. Price $10,000. Trade clear for clear or part mortgages. Want to deal this week. Prefer Hollywood, but any good Southern California, city or country, considered. (Owners only.) I am the owner. Address Owner, N, box 167, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—ONE THOUSAND ACRES CHOICE Kern county valley land. Price $85,000. Mortgage $20,000, long time to run. What have you to offer in exchange? Will assume an equal, or a larger mortgage on income property. Send full particulars first letter. Address M, box 55, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—1600 ACRES, 30 MILES FROM Fresno, fully equipped, fruit, grain and stock ranch; also San Barcelino business property, valued together $120,000; will consider first-class apartment-house, furnished, Los Angeles. Address N, box 162, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—160 ACRES IN TULARE COUNty, one mile from railroad All good tillable land, fine water, value $12,000, clear. Will assume up to $3000 in residence or flat building. PROUSE, A2790, Broadway 3619.

FOR EXCHANGE—OWNER HAS ELEGANT 8000-acre cattle ranch, $150,000, clear. Want city clear. Principals only. Address J, box 310, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—48 ACRES, TULARE COUNTY, near railroad and school; good district; on oiled road; price $100 per acre; want Los Angeles. See owner, J. H. DEWITT, 321 Hill bet. 3d and 4th.

FOR EXCHANGE—80 ACRES AT TURLOCK, VALUE $12,000; mortgage $1700. Want clear property in city. PROUSE, A2790, Broadway 3619.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Real Estate Miscellaneous.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Have first mortgage, $1250, country property. Will exchange for clear improved or unimproved city realty, preferably Hollywood way. Might add some cash on front. Address
A. C. JANNING,
611-21 Washington Bldg.
60819 Main 7800.

FOR EXCHANGE — HAVE THREE BUNGALOWS valued at $9000; mortgage $3000, and 6 clear lots, valued $4500. Rents good; renters pay $17 to $20 month each. Will trade bunch for nice located residence, southwest, and assume reasonable mortgage or clear ranch. Has all other clear lots, $4000 to $100,000. What have you? 501 WASHINGTON BLDG.

FOR EXCHANGE—OR SALE—CITY OR COUNTRY. See MARTIN REALTY CO., 223 Grosse Bldg. Main 4572.

FOR EXCHANGE—CAN EXCHANGE YOUR PROPERty. Submit proposition, 24 hours. W. W. GOODWIN, 420 W. Sixth.

FOR EXCHANGE—BEN WHITE WILL EXCHANGE your present property. 304 BRYSON BLDG., second and Spring. Member L.A.R.B.

BUSINESS CHANCES—
Of Many Kinds Unclassified.

FOR SALE—BEST BAKERY IN THRIVING PAY roll town. Cash retail and wholesale. Everything new and clean. An exceptional opportunity to get a good paying business at a bargain. 112 W. A ST., Ontario, Cal.

FOR $5000 WE WILL PROVIDE YOU WITH A beautiful home for life. Everything furnished in the way of food, laundry work, etc. The requirements are that you are a woman 60 years of age and in ordinary health. Address J, box 322, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—CAFETERIA, WITH FULL, MODERN equipment; located just off Broadway; investment totals $10,000; bargain at price $6000. A. C. JANNING, 611-21 Washington Bldg. 60819, Main 7800.

BARGAIN HUNTERS ATTENTION, CASH CORNER grocery, 3 nice rooms, sacrifice today, $550, invoices $750. A big snap sure. VAN, 603 Hibernian Bldg., 4th and Spring.

STOP, READ! BARGAIN. BIG SACRIFICE; MUST sell large retail cigar business; massive mahogany fixtures, low rent. Guarantee business $100 a month. Price $300, terms. VAN, 603 Hibernian Bldg., 4th and Spring.

FOR LEASE—FURNISHED ELEGANT LUNCH room, centrally located, doing $70 to $90 daily, owner needs rest. Low rent and percentage. Phone 2BROADWAY 1488, evenings.

FOR SALE—RESTAURANT IN FINE HOTEL DIStrict, seats 42. Rent $40. Good business. Going north. Owner. Address J, box 80. TIMES OFFICE.

$700—CIGAR STAND IN LARGE OFFICE BUILDing, clearing $160 monthly; short hours; no Sunday work; swell fixtures, big stock. 206 DELTA BLDG., 426 S. Spring.

FOR SALE—BAKERS AND CONFECTIONERS' USED machinery, tools, shelving, showcases, soda fountains, portable ovens, copper kettles, etc., at half price. We outfit complete. Cash or terms. STANDARD EQUIPMENT CO., 410 S. Los Angeles st.

PHYSICIAN, RETIRED OR INCAPACITATED, will hear of something to their advantage; no investment; no money needed. Simply address WALTER MATHEWS, box 128, Hollywood.

$650—GROCERY DOING STRICTLY CASH BUSIness, two living-rooms, rent $15; thickly settled section. Stock and fixtures, all new. Invoices $1650. 206 DELTA BLDG., 426 S. Spring.

MUST SACRIFICE MY HARDWARE AND GAS SUPply station at once, leaving city. 6400 PASADENA AVE., Garvanza 176.

EXCEPTIONAL CHANCE TO MAKE BIG MONEY quick. I need a few hundred dollars. Inquire 621 S. Hill.

SECOND-HAND SHOWCASES, ONE ENTIRE FLOOR of bargains, fee WEBER'S SHOWCASE AND FIXTURE CO., 316-320 S. Los Angeles st.

FOR SALE—OLD ESTABLISHED CASH GROCERY on a good corner, average sales $100 day. Phone 51820. MAIN 7439.

FOR SALE—ONLY HARDWARE STOCK IN NIland, value about $2000; terms easy. Write owner, LOCK BOX 32, Niland, Cal.

FOR SALE—GROCERY STORE, BEST LOCATION, doing nice cash business, runs about $800; come and investigate. Corner 16th and Arlington streets, WEST 1548.

WANTED—RELIABLE TENANT FOR NEW 56-ROOM hotel to be built in San Pedro. Apply LEHMAN, 716 Bryson Bldg. Main 1467.

FOR SALE — MANUFACTURING BUSINESS AND machine shop, fine line of goods and big opportunity. Your chance. Address T1, box 278, TIMES OFFICE.

POOL ROOM LOS ANGELES HARBOR. GOOD business. Must sell. Owner, B. WILLIAMS, Terminal, Cal.

PIONEER HOTEL GRILL, PORTERVILLE, CAL., for rent; excellent chance for right party; principally commercial trade. JAMES E. CANTY.

TELEPHONE "WANT ADS,"
for insertion in the Sunday Times should be ordered before the rush of business Saturday night.

GROCERY AND MARKET, AVERAGE $110 PER day, all cash. No delivery. Bargain. Owner going East. 705 WEST SIXTH ST.

BUSINESS CHANCES—
Of Many Kinds Unclassified.

REDIPHONES—WE HAVE ON HAND A FEW OF those handy telephone attachments, which are being distributed in connection with coupon books we rent at 75 cents each, the coupons being redeemable in classified advertising in THE TIMES. Phone Main 8200 or Home 10091, and our representative will call and attach the "REDIPHONE," collecting at the same time for the coupons delivered. One "Rediphone" only will be delivered to each customer.

A RESIDENT OF THE CITY WHO IS PRESIDENT of an eastern corporation, manufacturing high-grade school furniture, opera and folding chairs, would like to hear from experienced salesman of such goods who would be interested in handling the line on commission, orders to be filled from stock carried by the corporation in this city. Address L, box 147, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—$12,000, BRICK AND CEMENT GArage on Pasadena ave., lot 67½x150; leased for 5 years at $100 per month; nets 9 per cent. on price asked. Need the money for business purposes. Where can you make your money earn 9 per cent. net and be absolutely safe? Address J, box 305, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

PARTY WITH $2000 OR $3000 CAN PURCHASE a portion of my holding in a gilt-edge close corporation; this opportunity made available because other interests need my immediate attention, and arrange for party to take active interest. Must act quick. Give address, and phone. Address N, box 124, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—GARAGE BUSINESS AND LEASE IN Arlington, Cal., suburb of Riverside; best business around; small capital required, rent reasonable; modern brick building; building and lot also for sale or exchange. F. J. BOHR, 733 Main st., Riverside, Cal.

WAGE-EARNERS, PREPARE FOR OLD AGE; I OWN a stock ranch; under my new system you can help me stock with 10 cattle, you are secured and will get a lifetime income; a few dollars monthly does it. 223 BALBOA BLDG., San Francisco, Cal.

INFORMATION GIVEN ABOUT GOOD OPPORTUNity for market gardening in a live town in Northern Idaho, by merchant visiting in Los Angeles for a short time. H. A. SAMPSON, Del Otero Apts., 1260 W. 3rd st.

FOR SALE — DOWNTOWN GROCERY, DOING strictly cash business, average sales $55 per day; rent only $27 per month; going East; must sell at once, $2000 will handle; no exchange. Call OWNER, 857532.

WANTED—ACTIVE MAN WITH $350 AS PARTner in established business. Can make $100 to $150 month, no experience required. 204 MERCANTILE PLACE. Room 25.

BEST CORNER GROCERY IN LOS ANGELES, NEW stock and fixtures, strictly cash trade. Investigate. Address H, box 450, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—CANDY AND ICE CREAM BUSINESS in Northern California, worth $6000, $4000 takes it. Easy terms. Address H, box 342, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

HARDWARE AND GENERAL MERCHANDISE store for sale or exchange for city property. Invoice $4500. Address N, box 257, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—GROCERY STORE, SITUATED ON A corner; will sacrifice for a bargain if taken at once. Phone BROADWAY 3180.

FOR SALE — GROCERY STORE, LIVING-ROOM, furniture, fresh stock, very light expenses; $650; no agents; no trade. Address N, box 256, TIMES OFFICE.

GROCERY STORE, NEXT TO LARGE SCHOOL; nice living-rooms; low rent; doing a nice little business; especially for couple or 2 ladies; little cash. 628 W. FIRST.

SPLENDID OPPORTUNITY TO BUY OR TRADE for a good business and a home; school, store and residence in Ontario; will give good deal. 1104 E. SIXTEENTH.

FOR EXCHANGE—TWO STORES AND SEVEN LIVing-rooms for bungalow up to $2000. No commission. 5058 MONETA AVE. South 2093-W.

EXCEPTIONAL BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY FOR person with small capital, exclusive electric line. Investigate. 534½ S. HILL.

FOR SALE—RESTAURANT, HAVE GOOD BUSIness with good location. Apply to 215 E. 2ND ST.

$100 BUYS CIGAR STAND, FIXTURES, INVOICE stock; cheap rent. Address J, box 315, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

A BARGAIN—3-CHAIR BARBER SHOP. CIGAR stand. 800 E. FIFTH.

GROCERY, GOOD GROCERY AT 722 E. 5TH ST. Will sell cheap or trade.

FOR SALE—GASOLINE STATION, CORNER EIGHTH AND LOS ANGELES STS.

CASH GROCERY, SOUTHWEST; NO CREDIT; FIXtures, $450; invoice stock. Phone 77091.

FOR SALE—GROCERY, FEED AND FUEL BUSIness, cheap for cash. BOYLE 479.

FOR SALE—FULLY EQUIPPED MOTION PICTURE house. Apply owner, 2125½ E. FIRST ST.

NEW GROCERY STORE, CHEAP RENT; SICKness cause of selling. 2340 W. SIXTH ST., city.

FOR SALE—SHOE SHOP. 2017 W. SEVENTH ST.

FOR QUICK ACTION DROP ANSWERS TO Times "Liners" in Times' letter boxes in downtown office buildings. The locations of the boxes are printed in the first column of The Times "Liner" section.

BUSINESS CHANCES—
Wanted and Miscellaneous.

WANTED — STOCKS OF MERCHANDISE, ANY amount, for spot cash; also fixtures office furniture; we also sell on commission, money advanced on consignments. J. J. SUGARMAN, Auction and Commission House, 112-116 Court st. Phones P4810, M. 3114.

AM GOING EAST AND WILL BE ABLE TO handle any good proposition; loans, real estate or good patents; am in touch with large capital; am expert salesman and advertiser. Part exposure and commission. What have you? Best bank references given at interview. Address LC, box 522, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—WILL PAY SPOT CASH FOR ANY amount of stocks of merchandise, groceries, fixtures or furniture, goods also sold on commission. B. FORER CO., Auction & Commission House, 201 N. Spring st. Phone Broadway 4279; F5462.

WANTED—GROCERY OR OTHER MERCANTILE business. Give cash property or mortgage and some cash. Phone 52691 mornings.

WANTED—LUNCH COUNTER OR CANDY STORE, cheap. 112 E. FIRST. Simpson.

WANTED—CIGAR STAND, PICTURE SHOW, SALES agency or other small business. VERMONT 4247.

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SWAPS—
All Sorts.

FOR EXCHANGE—A PARTY OWED ME $800 AND I settled with him by taking an equity for the $800 in a corner acre at Hawthorne, with small California rough lumber house on it. One block from the car line and 5 blocks from school. will trade this equity for almost anything, because I do not need this property. It will make some one a good home. Submit what you have. P.S.—The payments are $10 per month on the balance. Address TK, box 404, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—OR SALE—80 ACRES, FLORence, Arizona. 100-acre relinquishment, Imperial Valley; take lots. Vacant lot, Angeles Mesa, Los Angeles; take diamond. Vacant lots, Pasadena, also fine corner, two houses. Garage, repair business, fine location; cash bargain. Want rock crushing elevating machinery, cement mixer, automobiles. Traders still have large list. We sell bargains. Address 1202 E. COLORADO ST., Pasadena, Cal.

FOR EXCHANGE—OR CASH, TYPEWRITING AND mimeographing by first class stenographer, college education; submit offers. 625 WESLEY BOHARTS BLDG. 62736.

FOR EXCHANGE—WANTED—LIGHT UP-TO-DATE roadster, Brick or Scripps-Booth preferred. Must be in A-1 condition. Will let you select new piano or player piano or baby grand or any make in talking machine and records, of equal value, in exchange. Address M, box 184, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE — WILL GIVE FIRST-CLASS dental work for fire insurance. 552 S. BROADWAY.

FOR EXCHANGE — WELLINGTON PIANO TO trade for diamonds, worth $250. ROSE JOHNSTON, Main 7073.

FOR EXCHANGE—HAVE A DANDY PIANO AS PART payment on roadster, Chevrolet preferred. MAIN 1278. W. J. Hittson.

FOR EXCHANGE—LARGE DIAMOND, BIG VALUE, for gas coupe, or sedan, describe what you have. Address H, box 539, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE — WILL GIVE FIRST-CLASS dental work for painting of offices. 552 S. BROADWAY.

FOR EXCHANGE — TWO GOOD JERSEY COWS, horse, wagon, harness; will trade for Ford car and pay difference. BOX 86, Willowbrook, Cal.

MONEY TO LOAN—
Real Estate and Improvements

MONEY TO LOAN—
On improved city property.
Or for building on easy terms of repayment.
STATE MUTUAL BUILDING & LOAN ASSOCIATION.
223 S. Spring st.

MONEY TO LOAN ON REAL ESTATE—
Clients' money to loan on first mortgages, city property, or will buy good paper. McCANN, BLYTHE & McDOWELL, 603 Laughlin Bldg. F2815, Broadway 3070.

TO LOAN—ANY AMOUNT. CITY REAL ESTATE. F. A. PATTEE & CO.,
820-822 Story Bldg. Main 7468, 60521.

P. C. COMPANY, 718 HEAD BLDG., SAN FRANcisco, loans its own money, amounts $1000 to $20,000, on orchards, vineyards, alfalfa, grain and cattle ranches in San Joaquin Valley. Applications received from anyone.

MONEY TO LOAN—SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY, CITY, beach, surrounding country; $1,000,000 for building loans in downtown section. H. C. HOLLINS, 729 Story Bldg. F3880; Main 7134.

R. W. POINDEXTER, 400 WILCOX BLDG., LOANS on real estate or stocks and bonds; building loans a specialty. If you want to lend or borrow see me. Reference, First National Bank.

MONEY TO LOAN—ANY AMOUNT ON VACANT OR improved, building loans a specialty; current rates. CHANDLER, CASOU & CO.,
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WE ARE IN THE MARKET TO MAKE THE FOLlowing loans, interest 7 per cent., without commission:
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5 loans for $1200 each.
5 loans for $1500 each.
5 loans for $1700 to $2500.
5 loans for $3000 to $10,000.
Must be on improved property situated in Los Angeles, Hollywood, Glendale, Pasadena, Alhambra, South Pasadena or intermediate districts.
We want conservative loans at a low rate.
This is our own money and can fit any size loan wanted.
THE JOHN M. C. MARBLE COMPANY,
Rooms 6 and 7, H. W. Hellman Bldg.
A2807. Main 302.

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SHORE BROTHERS COMPANY,
202 Security Bldg.,
Fifth and Spring sts.
Representing
UNITED STATES MORTGAGE & TRUST CO.
OF NEW YORK.
Have ample funds for First Mortgage Loans on Improved City Business and Residence Property and Building Loans

QUICK LOANS—
SECOND MORTGAGE MONEY.
If you need money for taxes, interest, or for any other purpose, we will loan you $50 to $1000 at low rates. Can pay as convenient, reducing interest.
We loan our own money; no commission; no little fees; money same day.
WATERMAN & CO.,
904 Merchants' National Bank Bldg.,
Corner Sixth and Spring sts.

WE WILL MAKE CONSERVATIVE LOANS ON REAL estate on Los Angeles and vicinity up to $50,000 at moderate rates. We loan our own capital and will give prompt and courteous attention to applications from owners.
WINTER INVESTMENT COMPANY,
1100 I. N. Van Nuys Bldg.
F2583. Broadway 5096.

PRIVATE FUNDS TO LOAN. I REPRESENT A few private individuals, who are anxious to place their money on good first mortgage real estate, to reliable parties. Will loan and expect to loan 10 to 15 per cent. more than you can borrow from the ordinary bank. I can furnish the money in 24 hours on proper security, will deal only with owners. W. A. BUCHANAN, 709 Hollingsworth Bldg., corner Sixth and Hill. A4289. Broadway 787.

WE WANT LOANS UP TO $10,000 AT 7 PER cent. in Corona, Covina, San Bernardino and Riverside districts on improved ranches. Liberal appraisements on good security.
HANFORD LEWIS, with 210 Haas Bldg.
THOS. C. BUNDY & CO. 60545, Bdwy. 8388.

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Lot, residences, apartments, stores, flats, ranches, IN SUMS OF $50 TO $7500 AND UP.
Cash for first mortgages.
Straight building loans a specialty.
Interest at 6, 7 and 8 per cent, and up.
We act as brokers, placing very large loans.
Commission charged on every loan.
CONSOLIDATED MORTGAGE COMPANY,
426 Washington Bldg. Phone Main 3335.

MONEY TO LOAN—
AVAILABLE AT ONCE,
ANY AMOUNT,
CITY AND COUNTRY
AT
LOWEST RATES.
WRIGHT-CALLENDER-ANDREWS CO.,
SEE DANNY W. MULLEN, LOAN DEPT.
403 S. HILL ST. PHONES: 10745, MAIN 8040.

FIRST AND SECOND MORTGAGE LOANS
At current rates, $100 to $3000. Will buy trust deeds, mortgages, any good Southern California city. Quick action. F. O. BOX 517, Riverside, Cal.

MONEY TO LOAN—
BUILDING LOANS. 7 PER CENT.
Our own funds on straight three-year loans, 7 per cent. per annum, payable quarterly. Any amount from $2500 to $25,000. No charge for application or appraisal and immediate action. AMERICAN MORTGAGE CO., 611-613 S. Hill st. 10245 or Broadway 2468.

$25,000 TO LOAN—
SECOND MORTGAGE MONEY.
$500 to $3000, if you need money for secondary taxes, or to close real estate deal. Our own funds; no commission. Liberal appraisement by our Mr. Julius Harris on very short notice.
LAND MORTGAGE CORPORATION,
415 Trust & Savings Bldg., Sixth and Spring sts.

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LOANS }
BUILDING LOANS }
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January 3	59,770
January 4	60,050
January 5	60,460
January 6	60,040
January 7	60,020
January 8	60,320
January 9 (Sunday)	105,330
January 10	60,150
January 11	60,650
January 12	60,510
January 13	60,280
January 14	60,430
January 15	60,780
January 16 (Sunday)	103,140
January 17	62,010
January 18	60,320
January 19	62,400
January 20	62,790
January 21	61,950
January 22	61,420
January 23 (Sunday)	100,620
January 24	61,430
January 25	61,170
January 26	62,010
January 27	61,920
January 28	64,250
January 29	62,800
January 30 (Sunday)	104,630
January 31	61,170
Average for every day of January	70,816
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HARRY CHANDLER,
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THEY GLORY IN THE FAME OF ARIZONA.

HASSAYAMPANS CELEBRATE THE STATE'S ANNIVERSARY.

Fourth Birthday is Fittingly Observed with Flow of Song and Oratory and a Spectacular Pageant. Hundreds Join in Honoring California's Next-door Neighbor.

Hassayampans from both near and far—those now Californians by adoption, and residents of Arizona sojourning here—celebrated with song and eulogy last evening the fourth anniversary of Arizona's statehood.

The affair occurred at the Friday Morning Club House, on Figueroa street, and drew together hundreds of Arizonans. It was under the auspices of the Hassayampa Club of Southern California, one of the three regular events given by this association every year. The association has more than 600 members.

President John Mellen presided and extended the welcome on behalf of the society. He read a letter from George Hugh Young, Mayor of Phoenix, which was full of sentiment for Arizona.

Former President John S. Mitchell spoke of the close ties that bind Arizona and California together, and of the love of former Arizonans for that land. "We cannot get Arizona out of our systems—and we don't want to," said this speaker.

Mayor Sebastian, on behalf of the city, welcomed the visiting Arizonans, and extended the invitation for them to come often and stay long.

Hon. Ben Goodrich spoke of "Arizona, the Territory and the State." He gave an interesting resume of the steps that brought about the formation of the Territory, and the long fight for statehood; then he reviewed the great progress that has been made since Arizona was admitted. He told of the expressions that were made when the United States paid Mexico $9,000,000 for the Gadsden Purchase and declared that the mines of Bisbee alone in one year produced more than the price of the Gadsden Purchase. "Time has proven that the potentialities of Arizona are simply marvelous," said Mr. Goodrich.

The musical features of the programme included two piano selections by Prof. Jean de Chauvenet; "The California Poppy," by Mrs. de Chauvenet, written by herself, and the music composed by her husband, and "A Song of Sunshine," by Mrs. de Chauvenet; "Arizona, Sun-kissed Land," written by Mrs. Frank Cox of Phoenix, and sung by Mrs. W. T. Webb, Messrs. William Meyers, John Mellen, A. P. and Charles Walbridge, with Mrs. T. C. Scott as pianist.

The programme closed with a spectacular presentation of "The Peace Ballet," by Mrs. Nicola Palmer, and a score of girls in costume of the various nations. Dancing, cards and a social hour followed.

VALENTINE-DAY RUSH TO ALTAR.

Thirty-five Couples Receive Licenses Instead of Picture Rhymes.

Thirty-five licenses were issued to St. Valentine's Day brides yesterday by Clerk Sparks of the marriage license department of the County Clerk's office. The average age of the brides is 24 years and 3 months, and the thirty-five with the grooms, represent six States and one other country, Canada.

Mrs. Theara A. Whelden, 63 years old, of Minneapolis, is the oldest of the brides. There were three aspirants for honors in the youthful class. They are as follows: Tatsuye Seki, Clorinda A. Monroy and Iva M. Harton of Los Angeles, Walnut and Sawtelle, respectively, all 17 years old. The States represented are Colorado, Michigan, Minnesota, Nevada, North Dakota and Utah.

Affection.

KIDNAPS HIS OWN SON?

Under Arrest Here on Another Charge, San Francisco Man is Discovered to be Wanted in North for Carrying Off Boy.

Harold R. Glodfelty, alias E. B. Stone, arrested here last Friday and held in the City Jail on a charge of defrauding an innkeeper, was declared last night by Detectives King and Bowe to be wanted in San Francisco on a charge of kidnaping. According to the detectives, the prisoner has made a confession.

Investigations made by the detectives last night brought to light the story of the kidnaping and the fact that since October 10, 1915, Mr. Glodfelty has been living here under the name of Stone. With him was his 6-year-old son Harold, who he is alleged to have taken away from his divorced wife, whose home is in San Francisco.

Mr. Glodfelty was arrested after Mrs. Gunn, the landlady of a roominghouse, informed the police that he had left her house owing a bill of $102. She said he had lived in her house several months, with his son, whom he called Hubbard.

He was lodged in the City Jail under the name of Stone. The boy was left with friends. The friends telegraphed to San Francisco and notified Mrs. Glodfelty, and she at once came to this city, took charge of her son, and left last night for her home.

Later the police were notified, and upon investigating they discovered that Stone's real name was Glodfelty and that he was wanted for kidnaping. San Francisco was at once notified, and a man will be sent from there for the prisoner.

A warrant was issued last July, upon complaint of Mrs. Margarette Glodfelty of No. 2431 Buchanan street, San Francisco, for the arrest of Mr. Glodfelty, on a charge of kidnaping.

When questioned last night, Mr. Glodfelty admitted, according to the police, taking the child from his divorced wife's home in San Francisco and bringing him to this city. He declared, however, that he did not kidnap the child, but had reached an understanding with his wife. He was unable to explain to the police why he changed his own and child's name.

Houses Beautiful.

TO EXHIBIT THEIR ART.

Architects of Los Angeles and Neighboring Cities will Hold an Exhibition, to Open with a Reception for Invited Guests Tonight.

The Southern California Chapter of the American Institute of Architects will be host to a large number of invited guests at the opening of the 1916 architectural exhibition, on the sixth floor of the Metropolitan Building, at Fifth and Broadway, tonight. Five thousand invitations have been sent out. A score of architects of Los Angeles and other Southland cities will embrace the reception committee.

Beginning tomorrow, and continuing for two weeks, the exhibition will be open to the general public every day excepting Sundays, from 10 o'clock in the morning until 10 o'clock at night. No admission will be charged, as the display is entirely an educational one, designed by the architects' section to help raise public standards as to architecture.

Miss M. L. Schmidt, general manager of the Metropolitan Exhibit of Building Materials and prime mover in the arrangements for this year's architectural display, stated last night that over fifty architects of this and neighboring cities had entered drawings, perspectives and photographs in the exhibition. In addition, a number of valuable paintings, a special display of mural decorations and numerous products used in building and its allied crafts and arts will be exhibited.

GOWNS TOO GAUZY.

Theater Managers and Dancing Girls to Face Trial by Jury.

A. L. and Jacob Goer, proprietors of a North Main street theater, and five dancing girls, were arraigned before Police Judge Richardson yesterday, on a charge of giving an immoral exhibition. The charges relate to a dance by the girls, clothed in gauzy drapery. The girls are Nita Lake, Mrytle Hargrove, Euphie Castro, Florence Barret and Lois Smith. They pleaded not guilty, and will have jury trials next week.

NEW JUDGE ARRIVES.

Judge Edward E. Cushman of the northern district of Washington reached the city yesterday, and was the guest of Judge Trippet in the United States District Court. Judge Cushman will sit in Judge Bledsoe's department this morning and dispose of the business before him. It is understood that he will remain indefinitely, or until Judge Bledsoe can dispose of his pending oil cases and resume work here. Judge Bean was expected to relieve Judge Cushman in April, but it is said that he cannot come here at all.

Prospective.

WOULD CREATE A MUNICIPAL BEACH.

NOB HILL EARTH MAY BECOME PLEASURE ASSET.

Purpose is to Use it for Creating Ten-acre Fill Just Outside Breakwater—Property Owners of Point Fermin District Protest on Sentimental Grounds.

Los Angeles is by way of securing—through creation—a municipal beach. The first step has been taken, through application to the United States Army engineer, for a permit to make a fill on submerged lands controlled by the city and located just outside the government breakwater at the foot of the Point Fermin district.

A hearing on this application was held yesterday afternoon by Maj. Pillsbury. The applicants, Peters, Brouse & Co., were present to urge the advantage of the project, and there were also opponents—property owners of the Point Fermin district—who urged various arguments against the granting of the permit, but whose main opposition was apparently based on sentiment.

The firm making application for the permit is razing a large section of Nob Hill in the business section of the harbor district. The earth can be dumped in some of the deep ravines over Wilmington way, but this would be simply improving private property. If the earth can be utilized to make the fill just outside the breakwater the city will have submerged land redeemed, and this can be utilized for a pleasure beach. It is proposed to use the high-line railway for the transportation of this earth from Nob Hill to the water, and this can be done at about the same expense as that of carrying it to the ravines, while the city would get the benefit of reclaiming land.

The arguments of the protestants were that the currents would be likely to carry the filled land through the rocks of the breakwater and deposit it in the outer harbor, or else it would be carried southerly to create a bar at the harbor's mouth. They also urged that it would destroy the picturesqueness of the rock beach which inducted them to buy properties at Point Fermin, and would inconvenience them in making boat landings and new property would be created in front of their holdings.

After much discussion, it was ascertained that the protestants were laboring under a misapprehension as to the actual extent of the proposed fill and that the map before the engineers was improperly drawn.

The area which it is proposed to fill will extend from the government breakwater 800 feet towards Point Fermin and then run southerly 200 feet. The proposed fill would reach to the thirty-foot contour in the open ocean.

Maj. Pillsbury decided that an accurate map would have to be filed showing exactly what territory it is proposed to fill, and he also required that the protestants place their arguments in writing and file them by Saturday. He stated, however, that the arguments presented regarding obstruction of navigation he considered had no weight, and that various other phases presented had to do entirely with the city and not the government.

The protestants appearing at yesterday's hearing were Charles A. Baskerville, E. D. Seward, Del Hammer, Mrs. Mary D. Zucker and Mary A. Parker.

Bellicose.

HAS WAR OF HIS OWN.

Horse Undergoing Inspection for a Stall in the French Army Runs Amuck and Injuries Driver, Trainload of Animals Leaves Tomorrow.

Fred Rain, 24 years old, a driver in the employ of the French commissioners who are in Los Angeles inspecting horses for use in the war zone of Europe, had a narrow escape from serious injury yesterday when a horse he was riding became frightened in the stockade at No. 747 Lyons street and threw him to the ground.

There were more than 1000 persons in the crowd that witnessed the accident and many of them rushed to aid the young man when it was feared he would be trampled to death by the horse. At the Clara Barton Hospital physicians said Mr. Rain was suffering from possible internal injuries and bruises of the left arm and left leg.

According to E. K. Cassab and O. Z. Finley, contractors, who are handling the sale of nearly 10,000 horses to the French government, the first trainload of animals will leave this city tomorrow night, and, following a second inspection in New York, will be shipped to Europe.

LAYMEN HOST EXPECTED.

Workers Reports Indicate Convention Will Draw Five Thousand.

The offices of the Laymen's Missionary Movement at No. 1101 Wright and Callender Building were crowded with campaign workers yesterday, reporting the results of "Registration Sunday," on

THE CITY
AND ENVIRONS.

EVENTS BRIEFLY TOLD

Auxiliary Dinner.

The Admiral Robley D. Evans Post Auxiliary will serve dinner Wednesday in the Patriotic Hall, Hall of Records, at 11:45 o'clock.

Lecture on Hamlet.

Dr. N. I. Rubinkam will give a public lecture on the "Mystery of Hamlet" tomorrow night at 8 o'clock on the tenth floor of the Public Library Building.

Newspaper Day.

The Long Beach Ad Club will observe the 23rd inst. as newspaper day, and at its weekly luncheon at the Hotel Virginia will entertain the publishers, editors and newspaper men generally of Southern California. For entertainment the club hopes to arrange a race between biplanes.

Juniors' Social.

The juniors of Wilshire-boulevard Christian Church will hold a social on next Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock, at which a short programme of entertainment will be given by Isabel Foyer, Virginia Mitchell, Gwendolyn Longyear, Joe Dillingham, Audry Workman, Catherine Gude, David Purviance, Joe Crail, Hal Williams and others.

Inaugural Dance.

St. Cecelia Council, No. 73, Young Ladies' Institute, will have its first dance Friday evening in Columbus Hall, No. 612 South Flower street. Mrs. Cecelia Greenbaum, president of the new organization, and James McBride, president of the Young Men's Institute, will lead the grand march. Miss Julia Schuster and DeWitt Taylor will give some fancy dances during the evening.

Kansas Soloists.

The famous Modoc Club of Topeka will be one of the special attractions at the big Kansas picnic at Long Beach tomorrow. This musical organization first came into prominence in 1876 and has since made yearly tours of the Middle West. Four former members of the organization live in this city. They are Dr. J. A. Munk, J. L. Stanton and J. F. and A. M. Salyer.

Services for Pioneer.

Funeral services over the body of Oliver Fellows Marx, pioneer real estate man, who died Saturday, will be held at 10 o'clock this morning in the Church of the Ascension. Interment will be in Evergreen Cemetery. Born in Salem, Mass., November 3, 1852, the son of Maj. John L. Marx, U.S.A., Mr. Marx came to this city thirty years ago. For many years he was a member of the real estate firm of Layne & Marx. Mr. Marx leaves a son, Raymond F. Marx, and a brother, L. V. Marx, both of this city.

To View Planets.

Members of the Astronomy Club and of the Proximo Club, to the number of fifty, have joined forces for an all-day outing on Mt. Lowe, next Saturday, the 19th inst., for the purpose of viewing the planets, Venus and Jupiter, now in conjunction. In addition to viewing the astronomical phenomenon, the two clubs anticipate an enjoyable afternoon further up the mountain at Alpine Tavern and the neighboring trails. The party will leave the Pacific Electric station at 10 o'clock in the morning, meet at the observatory at dusk and return to the city at 9 o'clock.

Lectures on Foods.

The Pacific Conference of Home Economics has arranged a series of lectures and demonstrations on foods and cookery, to be given by Miss Anna Barrows of Columbia University, an authority on the subject, this week and next. They will be given in Hamburger's store, fourth floor, on the following dates: Tomorrow at 4 o'clock, "The Business of Living;" Friday, 4 o'clock, "Home Made;" Saturday, 10 o'clock, "Batters and Doughs;" Wednesday, February 23, 3:30 o'clock, "Food for the Day;" Thursday, February 24, 4 o'clock, "By-ways for Teachers." Admission will be by card, which may be obtained at rooms of the Board of Education, or at Miss Flagg's office, Grand avenue school.

FROM Y.M.C.A. TO JAIL.

Thomas E. Eggleston, charged with the theft of text-books and instruments from the Y.M.C.A., who was brought back from Arizona, where he had been going under the name of Charles E. Morris, was arraigned before Justice Hanby yesterday. His bride wife was on hand to watch the proceedings. In default of the $5000 bail required Eggleston was sent to the County Jail to await his preliminary hearing on Thursday morning.

PASSES BEYOND.

Mrs. Josephine Worthen, wife of Walter R. Worthen, Jr., died yesterday at the family residence, No. 3768 South Harvard boulevard, following an illness from which she suffered more than a month. Funeral services will be conducted Wednesday at the White Company chapel, No. 1137 South Grand avenue.

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VALUABLE GEM MISSING.

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Some time during the last month, Mrs. F. P. Knott, wealthy Denver society woman, lost a black pearl surrounded by diamonds, valued at $1500, and she doesn't know whether she lost it here or in Washington. She reported the loss to the police yesterday, having missed the pearl while making an inventory of her jewels in her rooms in the Hotel Darby.

Mrs. Knott said the last time she wore the valuable gem was January 17, in Washington, when she attended a ball. She recalls returning the gem to the casket after the ball. She locked the jewel chest, and shortly afterwards came West. During her traveling, she did not investigate to see if her jewels were intact.

No clew to any possible thief who might have taken the jewel could be given the police by Mrs. Knott. She said she had no idea where it could be.

HOMES FOR CHILDREN.

Ordinance Concerning County Wards not Ready for Board.

The ordinance proposing to prohibit institutions for the care of wards of the Juvenile Court, which was originally aimed at the Strickland Home for Boys at Eagle Rock, but which would have hurt almost every institution in the county for the care of indigent children, was not taken up by the Board of Supervisors yesterday, as scheduled. So many new phases of the plan were introduced at the public hearing a week ago, that County Counsel Hill asked another two weeks to study the problem and prepare the next proposed ordinance for discussion by the board.

UNDELIVERED TELEGRAMS.

The following is a list of undelivered telegrams at the Western Union: I. E. Benjamin, Mrs. H. C. Beville, Mrs. William H. Bliss, Merritt Driscoll, Jose Maria Gutierrez, C. E. Hansen, Alazar Hermanos, Mrs. Dora Kaufman, Ashley Pond, Miss Kitty Rice, W. B. Ryley, G. G. Schonfeldt, Miss Freda Skogman, J. H. Toal, O. B. Warren (two,) and at the Postal: W. W. Smith, Mrs. B. T. Heywood, Mrs. Nellie O'Brien, B. M. Woodson, Nels Hendricks, Mrs. Emma Benton, Rena E. Stone.

PERSONALS.

F. A. Wann, general traffic manager of the Salt Lake, left yesterday for Salt Lake to attend the annual meeting of officials of the Union Pacific and affiliated lines. It is expected that many important problems connected with railroad business to California will be discussed.

Dr. H. R. Mussey, professor of political economy in Columbia University, arrived here yesterday, accompanied by Mrs. Mussey and their son, to spend some weeks with Mrs. Augustus Hine, No. 3300 South Figueroa street, before sailing the coming month for the Orient.

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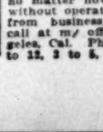
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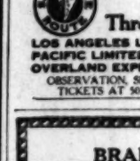
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THE WEATHER.
(Official Report.)

LOCAL OFFICE, U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Feb. 14.—[Reported by Ford A. Carpenter, Local Forecaster.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.13; at 5 p.m., 30.06. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 64 deg. and 53 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 68 per cent.; 5 p.m., 41 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., north, velocity 10 miles; 5 p.m., southwest, velocity 5 miles. Highest temperature, 86 deg.; lowest, 60 deg. Rainfall for season, 17.27 inches; last season, 13.01 inches. Barometer reduced to sea level.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.—The western area of high pressure moved rapidly eastward; accompanying it was the most pronounced cold wave of the winter. Temperatures of less than zero are reported from Pittsburgh and Montreal, and New York reports a temperature of 2 deg. above zero and a wind of thirty miles per hour at 6 o'clock this morning. The northwestern area of high pressure now overlies the States of Idaho and Nevada, and aside from light showers in Washington, Oregon and Northern California, the weather is fair and moderately warm. The area of relatively low pressure off the Southern California coast, in conjunction with the immense high pressure areas of the Northwest and Far East, is responsible for the warm and pleasant weather in the district between Los Angeles and Point Conception. These conditions will continue in this vicinity Tuesday.

LOCAL FORECAST.

For Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair Tuesday; continued warm; northerly winds.
For Southern California: Fair Tuesday.

STATE FORECAST.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 14.—Forecast: San Francisco and vicinity, Sacramento, Santa Clara and San Joaquin valleys and Southern California: Fair Tuesday, continued warm; light northeast wind.

ARIZONA FORECAST.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—Forecast for Arizona: Tuesday and Wednesday fair; not much change in temperature.

YUMA (Ariz.) Feb. 14.—[Exclusive Dispatch from the U. S. Reclamation Service.] Gauge height Colorado River, 17.5 feet; discharge, 19,700 second feet.

VITAL RECORD.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday. Name and age given.

ALLEN—GIGLIA. Nick D. Allen, 25; Bessie Giglia, 19.
ASTBURY—ASTBURY. Harry A. Astbury, 35; Edith M. A. Astbury, 32.
BOTTILLER—MONROY. Alexander Bottiller, 22; Clorinda Monroy, 17.
CARROW—FINEGAN. Murrie J. Carrow, 22; Irene W. Finegan, 18.
COLLINS—CATCHING. James E. Collins, 22; Laura Catching, 22.
DAVIES—SPRUNG. William H. Davies, 22; Josephine I. Sprung, 18.
DESNOYERS—GOWMAN. Willis L. Desnoyers, Jr., 21; Lilah V. Gowman, 21.
EMMKE—HAYES. Frederick W. Emmke, 23; Adeline L. Hayes, 21.
FULLER—HAYBALL. George B. Fuller, 36; Bertie Hayball, 34.
FUSCO—DEIRO. Sam B. Fusco, 23; Albina Deiro, 19.
GARNER—WILKINSON. Ernest D. Garner, 28; Gertrude Wilkinson, 23.
GILBERT—PEZZONI. Robert K. Gilbert, 27; Millie Pezzoni, 25.
JACOBS—GIBBONS. John B. Jacobs, 54; Annie E. Gibbons, 51.
JOHNSON—MATESON. William R. Johnson, 24; Nota Matteson, 23.
KEYES—CLIFFORD. Darwin W. Keyes, 38; Florence C. Safford, 29.
KUHNS—FITZSIMMONS. Leslie E. Kuhns, 37; Ida M. Fitzsimmons, 36.
LEE—MOORE. James R. Lee, 34; Ottila B. Moore, 30.
LOPEZ—PINA. Martin Lopez, 23; Librado Pina, 18.
McDANIEL—SCOTT. George A. McDaniel, 30; Alice G. Scott, 28.
MINAMI—SEKI. Sangoro Minami, 34; Tatsuye Seki, 17.
MYERS — BOUCHER. Layton C. Myers, 22; Emma Boucher, 23.
NEEDHAM—GUEST. Eli J. Needham, 42; Jennie V. Guest, 30.
NELSON—LODER. Ervin R. Nelson, 25; Vernetta M. Loder, 18.
NOTTAGE — WHELDEN. George L. Nottage, 61; Thera A. Whelden, 63.
PATTERSON—TRAMMELL. Fred V. Patterson, 22; Mollie Trammell, 20.
POLLACK—MARGOLIS. Alfred L. Pollack, 20; Rose M. Margolis, 21.
PREWEIN—POHLNER. John Prewein, 33; Wilma Pohlner, 26.
PUNG—McALLEN. Young Pung, 28; Virian McAllen, 22.
RICHARDSON — YOUNG. Bertrand K. Richardson, 32; Lucy L. Young, 28.
SIMPSON—HARTON. Arthur Simpson, 21; Ira M. Harton, 17.
SKELDING—LARMER. Howard G. Skelding, 26; Ona Larmer, 28.
STERNBERGER—MEYER. Albert C. Sternberger, 26; Fannie Meyer, 20.
TURPIN—COURTNEY. Lander Y. Turpin, 21; Sadie N. Courtney, 20.
WEBB—HENRY. Henry W. Webb, 26; Marjan B. Henry, 23.
WOOD—GREATRAKE. Jacob V. Wood, 28; Ida M. Greatrake, 28.

BIRTHS.

Names, sex, place and date of birth.

ARNOU. Mr. and Mrs. Frank. Boy. 324 East Fortieth street. February 9.
BEHN. Mr. and Mrs. Albert A. Boy. 1433 Woodside avenue. February 11.
BERNAL. Mr. and Mrs. Pedro. Daughter. 513 South Olive street. February 8.
BRADLEY. Mr. and Mrs. John. Daughter. 1710 Mariposa avenue. February 6.
BRISTOL. Mr. and Mrs. Henry R., Jr. Boy. Clara Barton Hospital. February 10.
BRYAN. Mr. and Mrs. Carl B. Boy. California Hospital. February 11.
CHAGALLA. Mr. and Mrs. Juan. Daughter. Los Angeles. February 9.

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BIRTHS.

Names, sex, place and date of birth.

GILLIAM. Mr. and Mrs. William H. Boy. 1028 Shore avenue. February 10.
GILMORE. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer H. Boy. North Chicago street. February 7.
GOULD. Mr. and Mrs. William G. Boy. Forty-eighth street. February 5.
GREELEY. Mr. and Mrs. Michael J. Boy. North Tobias street. February 8.
HABERFIELD. Mr. and Mrs. Peter J. Boy. East Forty-second street. February 8.
HAWKINS. Mr. and Mrs. James A. Boy. Hospital. February 11.
HENDRICKSON. Mr. and Mrs. Jesse. Boy. Wall street. February 10.
HERBELIN. Mr. and Mrs. Victor G. Boy. North Hobart boulevard. February 9.
HERNANDEZ. Mr. and Mrs. Jesse. Boy. First street. February 8.
HIROSE. Mr. and Mrs. S. Boy. 438 Sixth place. February 7.
JOHNSON. Mr. and Mrs. Henry H. Boy. Martinez Hospital. February 12.
LAWS. Mr. and Mrs. J. Boy. February 12.
LINDSEY. Mr. and Mrs. George K. Boy. Hospital. February 9.
LOJAN. Mr. and Mrs. Gregorio. Boy. Ilia street. February 9.
MAHONEY. Mr. and Mrs. Boy. Hospital. February 13.
McNORMAN. Mr. and Mrs. Frederick H. Boy. Good Samaritan Hospital. February 12.
MILLS. Mr. and Mrs. Walter. Boy. Hospital. February 14.
MORA. Mr. and Mrs. Juan. Boy. 330 Boyle avenue. February 9.
MURDOCK. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond. Boy. Royal drive. February 8.
MYRICK. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph. Daughter. Hospital. February 10.
NAKAI. Mr. and Mrs. S. Boy. 1020 Boyle avenue. February 9.
NAKANO. Mr. and Mrs. K. Boy. 337 East Second street. February 10.
NORTON. Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus. Daughter. Hospital. February 11.
PARROTT. Mr. and Mrs. George P. Boy. 852 Bonnie Brae street. February 7.
POLONPARO. Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Boy. 401 Chestnut avenue. February 12.
ROETHER. Mr. and Mrs. Frank V. Boy. 1127 Forty-third street. February 6.
SCHWEIZER. Mr. and Mrs. John H. Daughter. 1110 Jeffries avenue. February 7.
SLATER. Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin. Boy. 5862½ Crocker street. February 9.
TORRES. Mr. and Mrs. Abel. Daughter. 1061 Carlos street. February 10.
VILLANUEVA. Mr. and Mrs. Juan. Boy. Los Angeles. February 6.
YEARY. Mr. and Mrs. Archie D. Daughter. 1061 Crocker street. February 7.
YOSHIMURA. Mr. and Mrs. K. Boy. 337 East Second street. February 10.
ZAHANN. Mr. and Mrs. Peter. Boy. 1061 Crocker street. February 9.

DIVORCE SUITS FILED.

ADDINGTON. Gertrude M. against J. J. Addington. Cruelty.
COLEMAN. Maggie against Frank Coleman. Desertion.
COMBEE. Sarah E. against Charles F. Combee. Desertion.
CROCKER. Louise E. against Edwin S. Crocker. Desertion.
ETTINGER. William H. against Irma A. Ettinger. Cruelty.
JENKINS. Phoebe S. against Charles F. Jenkins. Desertion.
SULLIVAN. Maude against George W. Sullivan. Cruelty.
WILSON. Genevieve H. against Walter Erven. Desertion.

OFFICIAL DEATH LIST.

Names and place of death—

ARNOLD, Kate. Los Angeles.
ASHLEY, Joseph R. Los Angeles.
BRAGHRAR, Anna. Los Angeles.
FALZ, Elias. Los Angeles.
CASSADY, Ellen. Los Angeles.
COLBATH, La Fonzo P. Los Angeles.
DALEY, Catherine B. Los Angeles.
DUNLAP, Marcus J. Los Angeles.
FOSTER, Ed. Los Angeles.
FARFAGLIO, Christina. Los Angeles.
FRIEND, Henrietta C. Los Angeles.
GRAHAM, Anna J. Los Angeles.
GROWDY, G. Los Angeles.
HAMMOND, Charles R. Los Angeles.
HETHERINGTON, Isabella F. Los Angeles.
HILL, John. Los Angeles.
JOHNSON, Roberta. Los Angeles.
JENKINS, John W. Los Angeles.
LEVITT, Max B. Los Angeles.
LUTZENHISER, Almarine W. Los Angeles.
MARY, Oliver P. Los Angeles.
MONTGOMERY, Joseph H. Los Angeles.
MURPHY, John T. Los Angeles.
MURRAY, Mary E. Los Angeles.
NEUWIRTH, Martin H. Los Angeles.
NAZARIAN, Marved. Los Angeles.
SANCHEZ, Christina. Los Angeles.
SWIFT, Effie. Los Angeles.
SWIFT, James F. Los Angeles.
VARA, Vera. Los Angeles.
WENTWORTH, Lavora A. Los Angeles.
WORTH, W. Los Angeles.

DEATHS.

With Funeral Announcements.

ADAMS. At No. 224 West Seventy-fourth street, Asher J. Adams, a native of Vermont, 68 years.
Remains at the funeral parlors of the Martinwol, No. 827 South Hill street.

BOURDENX. Robert, beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. Ely Bourdenx, aged 7 years.
Funeral from parlors of The Wilshire, No. 1127 South Grand avenue, Wednesday, 15, 9:30 a.m.

BRONAUGH. In Alhambra, February 13, Mrs. Bronaugh, father of Mrs. L. A. Bronaugh, 70 years.
Funeral services at parlors of Pierce & Alhambra, at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday, February 15.

CASSADY. At her residence, No. 1035 Hoover street, February 13, 1916, Ellen, beloved wife of Thomas J. Williams, aged 54 years, and sister of Mrs. Peter Cassady, and sister of Mrs. Peter Sharp, native of Ireland, aged 54 years.
Funeral Tuesday, February 15, 9:30 a.m., from the parlors of Robert Sharp & Son Co., at 1:30 p.m. Requiem mass at St. Mary's Church at 10 o'clock. Omit flowers.

COOPER. In this city, February 14, Mrs. Cooper, aged 27 years.
Remains at the parlors of Smith & Co., No. 1147 South Flower street.

DALEY. At No. 1250 De Long street, Mrs. Catherine Daley, aged 67 years.
Funeral from parlors of Conway & Co., 1061 South Grand avenue, Tuesday, February 15, at 9 a.m. Requiem mass at St. Vincent's Church at 9 a.m. Interment Calvary Cemetery.

DEMPSEY. John Oliver Dempsey, aged 47 years.
Funeral services will be held from the parlors of Booth & Boyland Co., No. 1149 South Flower street, Tuesday, February 15, at 1:30 p.m.

DUNLAP. February 13, Marcus J. Dunlap, 70 years.
Funeral Tuesday, February 15, at 2 p.m. from parlors of Conway & Co., 1061 South Grand avenue. Interment Rose Hills Cemetery.

GARNSEY. February 13, Louise G. Garnsey, wife of Leigh G. Garnsey and Mrs. Elsie Gray and half-brother of Morris Gray of Los Angeles and Mrs. William Evans of Pasadena.
Funeral services at the residence of her father, Mrs. Thomas R. Lee, 1000 Alvarado street, Tuesday at 4 o'clock p.m. Please omit flowers. (Boston, N. Y. and Chicago papers please copy.)

GUNDERSON. In this city, February 13, Mrs. Gunderson, aged 39 years.
Funeral from the parlors of Pierce & Co., No. 810 South Flower street, today (Tuesday) at 10 a.m.

HAMMOND. At his late residence, 1061 Forty-first street, February 13, 1916, beloved son of Mrs. Florence Hammond and brother of Rance C., Albert J., Mother and Clarence Hammond, Mrs. C. E. Hale and Mrs. Brennan.
Funeral from residence at 2:30 o'clock (Tuesday) morning; thence to St. Agnes Church, where requiem mass will be said at 9 o'clock. Interment Calvary Cemetery. Arrangements by Sharp & Son Co., Undertakers.

HETHERINGTON. February 13, at his residence, 1061 Forty-sixth street, Isabella F. Hetherington, native of Scotland, aged 50 years.
Funeral Tuesday, February 15, at 2 p.m. from parlors of Conway & Co., 1061 South Grand avenue. Interment Rose Hills Park Cemetery.

KELLER. The funeral of the late Ella E. Keller will be held from the chapel of Pierce Bros., No. 810 South Flower street, Tuesday, February 15, at 11 a.m. Interment Rose Hills Cemetery.

KUENZEL. At Little Landers, February 13, Kuenzel, aged 58 years.
Funeral from the chapel of Pierce Bros., No. 810 South Flower street, Tuesday, February 15, at 3 p.m.

MANSFIELD. February 14, James Mansfield, 60 years.
Remains at parlors of Cremation & Interment, Dillon, Mgr.

MARGOTIAN. In this city, February 14, Margotian, aged 60 years.
Funeral from the chapel of Pierce Bros., No. 810 South Flower street, Wednesday, February 16, at 1 p.m.

McKIBBAHAN. At Orcutt, Cal., February 13, Lovina, beloved wife of Andrew McKibbahan, mother of Pearl and Otis McKibbahan, aged 57 years.
Funeral services at family residence, Orcutt, at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday, February 15.

MILLS. At No. 410 East Seventh street, February 13, J. W. Mills, aged 68 years, husband of Mrs. Vera B. Mills and father of Mrs. J. Bailey, and grandfather of Mrs. Bailey, all of this city.
Funeral Wednesday, February 16, at 2 p.m. from the funeral parlors of Booth & Boyland Co., 1047 South Figueroa street.

SKINNER. Warren G. Skinner, aged 28 years, of 1061 Wilcox avenue, Hollywood, died in this city on February 13.
Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. today at Hollywood Cemetery under the auspices of Hollywood Lodge No. 709, B. P. O. E. Brother, funeral director.

STEINBECK. At No. 1040 West Fifth street, February 13, Frank A. Steinbeck, aged 57 years.
Funeral services will be held at the residence of Garrett & Company, 1047 South Figueroa street, Tuesday, February 15, at 10 a.m.

STICKLIN. John Sticklin, aged 78 years.
Remains at parlors of Pierce Bros., No. 1147 South Flower street.

THOMAS. February 13, at the residence of Mrs. Thomas, Mrs. Jessie Thomas, husband of Jessie Thomas and father of Mrs. Ida Thomas Mottell, aged 57 years.
Funeral Tuesday, February 15, at 2 p.m. from the chapel of Mottell's chapel, Pico and Lincoln avenues, Pico Beach, Cal.

WOODWORTH. February 12, Lavora Alice Woodworth, aged 61 years.
Funeral services will be held at 2:30

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Ever-advancing Southern Metropolis. *California and the Coast—10 Pages*

The Los Angeles Times

XXXVTH YEAR. TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 1916.—EDITORIAL SECTION. POPULATION By the Federal Census (1910)—319,198 By the City Directory (1915)—338,317

Warrant Out.

BUILDER CHARGED WITH EMBEZZLEMENT; GONE.

Leaves Five Cents in Firm's Treasury and Broken-hearted Family.

Contractor for Annandale and Amelia-street Schools is Alleged to Have Collected Large Payment from the Board of Education and Absconded—Said to Have Bought Ticket to Honolulu—Cabaret Woman Also Absent.

G. W. GILBRETH, president of the contracting firm of G. W. Gilbreth & Co., with offices in the Hollingsworth Building, was yesterday declared an absconder and a complaint was issued by the District Attorney's office charging him with embezzlement. The warrant is in the hands of Police Detectives Hickok and Byrnes.

The warrant issued by Deputy District Attorney Becker charges Mr. Gilbreth specifically with embezzling $1200 of the firm's money, paid to Mr. Gilbreth by the Los Angeles City Board of Education as a part of the contract price of the Amelia-street and Annandale schools.

Mr. Gilbreth left a sick wife, a 5-year-old daughter, a heart-broken father and mother, and, according to his partners, cleaned out the treasury of his company to the last dollar. "There was just 5 cents left in the office," declared Secretary A. B. Haight. Mrs. Gilbreth was left with less than $20 and was forced to give up her apartments at No. 721½ West Second street and take up her residence with Gilbreth's mother, Mrs. G. W. Gilbreth, Sr., living at No. 1226 West Forty-sixth street. The wife is confined to her room from shock."

Mr. Gilbreth's company holds two school contracts, totaling about $60,000. The firm was in a prosperous condition when Mr. Gilbreth forsook to business cares for cafe life, according to the officers, and in a short time the crash came.

GONE TO HONOLULU?

According to Mr. Haight and M. H. Sherman, another partner, Mr. Gilbreth secured a warrant from the school board on the 7th inst., calling for payment of $1777 on the Amelia-street contract and another warrant for $312 for work performed on the Annandale school. These sums should have been paid to the firm's account at the Bank of Italy by a trustee, but Mr. Gilbreth secured the warrants after banking hours and succeeded in having them cashed. Then, leaving a string of bad checks behind him, according to Mr. Haight, he is alleged to have departed for San Francisco and probably for the Orient. Friends reported that he had purchased a ticket for Honolulu. Traces of him are said to have been obtained in the northern city and his arrest is expected within a few days.

According to the remaining members of the firm, Messrs. Bowman, Haight and Harry P. Hood, the firm was organized last fall. After its members had obtained the general contracts for the Annandale and the Amelia-street schools they began business. The Amelia-street school is more than half completed, and more than $14,000 of the $28,000 contract price has been paid into the firm.

"About this time," stated Mr. Haight, the secretary of the firm, "Gilbreth began playing the cafes. It was high-priced automobiles, gay women and the night life. Nothing we could do could wean him from the route. Success was in sight but success turned his head and in a few weeks we began having trouble with checks. This kept up for several weeks until the 8th inst., when we learned that Gilbreth had cashed the two warrants. The only word we had from him came through the bank where he had made good an over draft of $65. This was done through the mails. Then he dropped from sight.

"WILL GO RIGHT ON."

"The firm at once called a meeting, accepted the resignation of Harry P. Hood and then elected M. H. Bowman as president. I am secretary and treasurer and we will go on to the end. We can finance the com and fulfill our obligations. Of course the taking of nearly $2500 at a time will cause us great embarrassment but we will manage in some manner to get through with the work."

The school board is taking no cognizance of the affair and will not as long as the work proceeds on schedule, according to statements issued yesterday. The board is fully protected by bonds and as the work is well under way, the company, minus its old head, will be allowed to complete the work.

The mother of the missing contractor stated yesterday that neither she nor the wife had any previous intimation of the flight of Gilbreth.

"We knew he was drinking but thought it was because of worry," she said last evening. "He was always a peculiar, modest, retiring man, having only one fault and that was an uncontrollable wanderlust. He would never stay in one place for any length of time. We were so glad that he was prospering and thought that he had at last hit upon work that would keep him in one place. When he disappeared we did not learn of the money part for several days. The shock was so great it prostrated his

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G. W. Gilbreth,

President of the contracting firm of that name, who is sought as an embezzler.

Rambunctious.

VALENTINE 'GATORS START NEAR-RIOT.

GIFTS TO MRS. CANFIELD STIR UP THE ALEXANDRIA.

Five Live Florida Reptiles Frighten Porters, Parcelmen and Bellboys, not to Mention Managers and the Like, into Small Fits and Wind up by Eating All the Gold Fish.

Five live Florida alligators created a sensation at the Alexandria yesterday. In addition to producing near hysteria among the parcelmen, bellboys and fifteen of the seventeen porters, the reptiles frightened a Los Angeles capitalist, his wife and several of their friends and gave Assistant Manager Sibbald a shock from which he says he has not yet recovered.

As a finale, the five live "gators" banqueted upon a score or more goldfish which formerly lent considerable to the tropical effect of the tea room and sent a hysterical chambermaid down the lobby screaming for Sol Reichenberg, the house detective.

Shipped in an ordinary box to Mrs. C. O. Canfield, daughter-in-law of the late local oil magnate, from her sister in Jacksonville as a valentine remembrance, the alligators, which average eighteen inches in length, were somewhat peeved when they arrived. In the parcel room upon their delivery an inquisitive youth poked his finger through a knothole in the box and followed the act with a scream that brought to his rescue nearly everyone in the basement. Immediately thereafter "Doc" Basset, who is in charge of the parcel room, with trembling voice dispatched the box under a strong guard to Mrs. Canfield.

Having a "hunch" as to its contents, Mrs. Canfield, from the vantage of a chair prevailed upon a porter to place the box in the bath tub and open it. One hefty blow with a hatchet knocked out the end of the box and out tumbled the valentines. After splashing around in the tub for several minutes one large one decided to explore the suite and in the resultant melee an emergency call was put in for Mr. Sibbald. When he arrived the alligators were in confinement. Without waiting for explanations Mr. Sibbald charged into the bathroom and like a Russian grand duke executed a masterly retreat almost simultaneously.

Eventually the alligators were thrust into the box and after bestowing outright all right and title to her Florida souvenirs upon Mr. Sibbald Mrs. Canfield suggested he place them in the aquarium as a novelty. Following out the suggestion the box was

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Nil Nisi Bonum.

PISTOL SHOT'S STRANGE ECHO.

Second Supposed Widow of Charles Lewis Found.

Pennsylvania Woman Says She will Force Claims.

Clew to Meaning of Death Note Left Behind?

Following is the strange note written by Charles L. Lewis just before he committed suicide:

"I cannot stand this turmoil within myself any more. The fault is and has been all my own. I have tried hard and earnestly to make a success of life, but everything points towards a failure. So here goes. I'm the only one to blame. God has simply damned my soul. All I deserve is hate and derision from my love and friends. This is an awful lesson, but let others profit by it, as I would if I could retrace my steps, which, of course, is impossible.

"My most important wish is that this discontinues my existence here and hereafter, and that my torture ceases, not from without, but from within. Many have been my loyal friends, but the one essential thing here I lack—the right relation to my God. My body deserves no more respect than to be placed on a burning brush heap. The wages of sin is death."

What may be light upon the mysterious suicide in this city, on January 27, of Charles L. Lewis, partner in the Nold Furniture Company of Pasadena, and upon the meaning of the strange note he left, was cast yesterday by the receipt by friends in this city of a letter from Mrs. Bertha S. Lewis, of No. 41 Eley street, Dorranceton, Pa. Although, three days before he shot himself in the Natick Hotel, Mr. Lewis had married Miss Elfrieda Kuster of this city, the signer of the letter refers to herself as his widow and is apparently unaware that, just a week before the tragedy, Mr. Lewis secured a divorce from her in the local courts.

The news that Mr. Lewis was a married man when he came to this city from Pennsylvania was something of a shock to his friends here, and in Pasadena and Alhambra, where it appears he was commonly thought to be a bachelor.

Attorney John Munro, who was counsel for Mr. Lewis in his divorce suit, said last night that his client fully expected his final decree to be granted just a year from the date of the interlocutory decree, January 20, and when after a visit to the County Clerk's office he discovered that several days more must elapse, Mr. Lewis was greatly agitated, saying:

"This is terrible; it will kill me; I was to have been married in a week, and there is no way in which I can explain the matter." Mr. Munro and one of the attaches of the office remarked afterwards on the man's strange words.

The records show that Mr. Lewis secured a divorce from Mrs. Bertha S. Lewis on the ground of desertion. The decree was followed two days later by the marriage of Miss Kuster, who resided with her mother at No. 1432 Kellam avenue, this city, and Mr. Lewis, and the romance seemed ideal and unclouded. A pretty bungalow was ready for the bride at No. 4 Valencia Court, East Alhambra.

The night following the marriage Lewis left home and his whereabouts was unknown until news of the tragedy was brought to the distracted bride, who is now with friends in Corona.

In the record of the divorce proceedings a letter was found from Mrs. Bertha S. Lewis, indicating that she is a woman of unusual culture and refinement. In the letter was a request that Lewis return to Pennsylvania for his vacation in the hope that difficulties that existed might be cleared away. Two days after the letter was dated the suit for divorce was filed.

According to a dispatch to The Times from Wilkesbarre last night,

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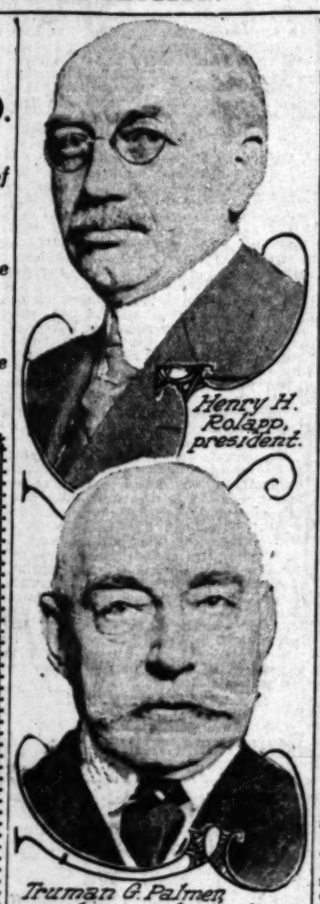
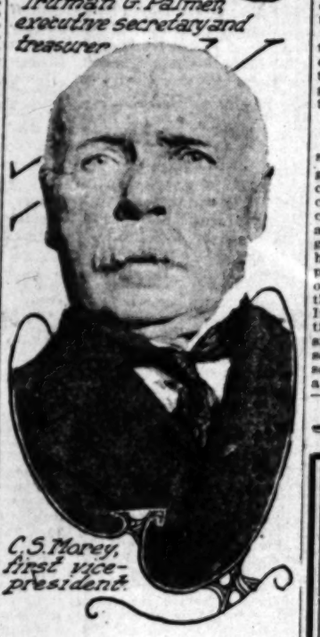


Henry H. Rolapp, president.

Truman G. Palmer, executive secretary and treasurer.



C. S. Morey, first vice-president.

Sugar men's chiefs.

Officers of the United States Sugar Manufacturers' Association, which opened its convention at the Alexandria yesterday.

By Wire.

VICTIMS TRIP HIM IN MID-FLIGHT.

NEW YORK SHIRT-WAIST MAN CAUGHT, JAILED HERE.

Admits Attempt to Defraud Manhattan and Texas Banks of Large Sum by Fictitious Checks and to Succeeding in Stinging Friends for Small Ones—Other Blanks Found.

Remorse came too late to Maximilian Friedman, former sales manager for a New York shirt waist house, who was arrested yesterday afternoon at the Baltimore Hotel, on orders from the police department of Houston, Tex., and booked at police headquarters on suspicion of grand larceny. The arrest was made by Superintendent Mohan and Detective Wilson, of the local Burns agency, who worked the case on behalf of the American Bankers' Association. Young Friedman is held in the City Jail pending further orders from Houston.

When found, Friedman at first was so frightened he could say nothing for almost fifteen minutes. Then he broke down completely and sobbed out his story.

"My poor little wife will kill herself," he cried. "I wish I hadn't done it. I left my home in New York last December to come where I could regain my health. I got as far as Houston, where I met a friend of my father, David Solomon. There I wrote two checks, one for $184.30 and the other for $972.92, payable to myself. They were drawn against the Public Bank of New York, and I signed them 'M. Friedman Waist Company.' I deposited them in the Houston National Exchange Bank.

"I knew they were no good, but I thought that if I could get to Los Angeles I would pay everything back. I got Mr. Solomon to indorse them. He thought they were good at that time.

"The bank wouldn't advance me anything until the checks were returned from New York. So I got two tradesmen living in Houston to cash some checks for me. Sam Rosenberg cashed a $35 check, and David Goldbaum, a salesman, cashed two checks amounting to about $42. Then

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Beleaguered.

RALLY TO SAVE SUGAR GROWERS.

Leading Manufacturers Gather and Grapple Problems.

Free Listing Means Death, is Convention Watchword.

Relief from Seed Famine Seen in Russian Supplies.

The beet-sugar industry of the United States, which adds about $100,000,000 annually to the wealth of the nation, will die an untimely death at the hands of the national administration if the free-sugar clause in the tariff is not repealed. This was the statement made yesterday at the annual convention of the United States Sugar Manufacturers' Association by Truman G. Palmer of Washington, D. C., executive secretary of the organization.

According to Mr. Palmer, approximately 25 per cent. of the loss will be borne by growers in California. The remainder will be lost by the growers of Colorado, Utah, Idaho and other western States where sugar beets are produced.

In his opinion, the price of sugar to the consumer, instead of being lowered, will be materially increased with the product duty free, and the government, in addition to losing more than $45,000,000 revenue annually, represented by the present import duty on the commodity, will play into the hands of foreign growers.

Mr. Palmer, who has recently returned from Cuba, where he made an exhaustive study of the sugar question, cited as typical of what the sugar men are up against, the conditions there. He said in part:

CUBAN PLANS.

"In Eastern Cuba, an association of sugar men is planning to deliver sugar to warehouses in New York at 2 cents per pound under the free sugar clause. The members of our association contract to pay on an average 2½ cents for the beets in the ground. They must then pay for the harvesting, refining, packing, transportation and the thousand and one other incidentals. Free sugar means the elimination of American growers. In Cuba, instead of the exhaustive cultivation required here, the growers simply fell the trees and underbrush, set fire to it and a few weeks later scratch a hole in the earth, drop in a section of cane, kick the dirt over

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MILITARY CAMP FOR CIVILIANS?

Mayor Launches Plan to Give Two Weeks of Practice in the Field.

Plans for a citizen-soldier camp for military instruction in or near Los Angeles will be taken up with the Chamber of Commerce and other local organizations by Mayor Sebastian within the next few days, with a view to establishing a camp similar to that maintained in New York State last year.

The Mayor discussed the question yesterday with George Watson and others, and he was informed that with proper effort it is practically assured that the War Department will co-operate.

"I believe that if we can show the War Department there are 500 to 1000 men ready to take a two weeks' course of military instruction in a camp there will be no trouble in getting all the help we need from the government," said the Mayor last night. "Salt Lake is already busy on a similar project, and the movement, I believe, will become general from coast to coast."

Generous.

REMEMBERS THE NEEDY.

Tons of Provisions Purchased by Gen. Sherman for Distribution to Local Homes for Orphans and to Charitable Institutions and Missions.

Two tons of beans, one ton of squash and 500 pounds of prunes were distributed yesterday to local charitable institutions by Gen. M. H. Sherman of the Westminster Hotel. The beans were purchased from the Van Nuys and Owensmouth Cannery Company and shipped to the Los Angeles Orphanage, Los Angeles Orphans' Home, Volunteers of America and various rescue missions and other charitable organizations in this city.

BANQUET PLANS.

At a meeting of the South End Republican Club the coming week plans will be completed for a reception, bonfire and banquet to be given at Burke's Hall March 23. There will

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Protest.

COMPANY B WALKS OUT OF SERVICE IN A BODY.

FOLLOWING a conference at the Armory last night, thirty-five non-commissioned officers and privates of Co. B, Seventh Regiment, National Guard of California, asked to be mustered out of service, and Col. W. G. Schreiber, commander of the regiment, discharged the entire company.

Members of the company told Col. Schreiber they refused to serve under his command, and protested vigorously against the resignations of Maj. Harry B. Light, former commander of the first battalion, and the captains and lieutenants whose retirement from the regiment two weeks ago left Co. B entirely without commissioned officers.

It was announced on the 7th inst. that the resignations of eight officers of the battalion were accepted by Adjt.-Gen. Thomas, and that elections of new officers would be held this month.

"I will issue discharges of these men immediately," Col. Schreiber said last night. "They requested that the matter be given consideration without delay and I am going to comply with their wishes."

Referring to the matter, Maj. Light said: "It is absolutely impossible for any man who desires to be an efficient member of the guard, or who has the best interest of the organization at heart, to remain satisfied under present conditions. There has been much dissatisfaction in the regiment since the Calexico encampment. The cause was recently evinced when volunteers were wanted to sign an agreement for service out of the State. More than 90 per cent. of the enlisted men of the Los Angeles organizations refused. Almost to a man they told their company officers that their refusal was conditional, and that they would volunteer if these conditions are improved."

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The McCowan Case.

REPEAT EXTORTION AND INTIMIDATION CHARGES.

Witnesses in Disbarment Proceedings Against Kern County District Attorney Testify He Solicited Money from Accused and Bully-rag ged Grand Jurors — Many Bakersfield People Crowd th e Courtroom.

TESTIMONY of four witnesses in relation to the charge that Barclay McCowan, District Attorney of Kern county, solicited a bribe and the evidence of another that the defendant had bullyragged the grand jury while it was deliberating on accusations made against him marked the disbarment proceedings yesterday before the District Court of Appeal, with Justices Conrey, James and Shaw presiding.

E. W. McCutcheon, around whom the principal features of the case revolve, declared without qualification that McCowan told him, "If you expect to get out of this trouble you will have to put up money." He further declared the District Attorney told him money would have to flow as freely as water. Other witnesses testifying in connection with the alleged bribery incident made similar statements.

The evidence regarding McCowan's appearance before the grand jury was given by Arthur R. Crites, vice-president and general manager of the Security Trust Bank of Bakersfield, who was a member of the grand jury in 1915. He said McCowan went before the body several times and reported he had damaging evidence against some of its members, among them the witness.

The proceedings were instituted by the Kern County Bar Association, which charges McCowan with soliciting a bribe and using his influence to prevent the grand jury from returning an indictment against himself.

The alleged bribery incident is in connection with the felony case against E. W. McCutcheon, who was charged with a statutory offense against Effie Thompson, 13 years old. McCutcheon was tried three times on the charge, the jury disagreeing twice and finally acquitting him.

As a result of this long-drawn-out case many charges were made against McCowan and they were placed before the grand jury of 1915. After lengthy deliberation the jury failed to agree upon any of the charges and in the end filed a report exonerating the District Attorney. These charges were that McCowan was guilty of bribery, criminal misconduct and official misconduct.

Mr. Crites declared the vote was not sufficient at any time to bring an indictment, but he was not permitted to tell how the jurors stood in the matter. Practically all of his testimony was in regard to McCowan's alleged activities among the members of the grand jury while they were investigating the charges against him.

Among the jurors against whom McCowan, according to the witness, made threats are Mr. Crites, Mr. Wells, Mr. Work and others.

PLOT CHARGED.

"I had a conversation with McCowan in the corridor of the Courthouse," said Mr. Crites. "Then he invited me into his office and asked me, 'What is the matter with Alex Work?' I replied that I knew nothing. He then said that Alex Work and others got on the grand jury so they 'could get me' and that Judge Farmer was a party to the general scheme. Then he looked at me and said, 'I had the opportunity to ruin your reputation the other day. A party wanted to charge you with adultery. I did not do it and you ought to show me the same consideration.'

"At one time while we were voting on some of the indictments against him, he came in and told us he had some information against a member of the grand jury. We did not listen to him then, but the next day he came in and read to us a certified copy of an indictment that had been returned against Juror Wells in New Mexico. Again he presented a letter charging Mr. Hoisington, another member of the grand jury, with embezzlement. This letter was brought in two or three days before the final report."

Mr. Crites also told of a request being made of McCowan that he ask for an independent attorney from the office of the Attorney-General to go to Bakersfield and investigate the charges against him. "McCowan told us that he had the right to be there at all times and he would be," said the witness.

When E. W. McCutcheon was called to the stand and before he answered any material question, Attorney Farraher, for the defense, requested that the court read that section of the Penal Code which relates to the effect testimony of a person may have upon any future charge that may be prosecuted against him. Attorney F. E. Borton, of counsel for the prosecution, objected upon the ground of attempted intimidation, but was overruled. In face of the ruling and reading, Mr. McCutcheon announced his willingness to testify.

The witness then related some of the circumstances in connection with his flight from the State when he found he was to be tried on the statutory charge.

"I met McCowan soon after my return to the State," he said. "We talked about my trouble and he told me to come to his office. With two of my brothers I went to his office and there the bond for my release was prepared. We then went to the Sheriff's office and I was officially released from custody.

TALK ABOUT MONEY.

"McCowan told me under no circumstances to employ counsel without seeing him. The following day I saw McCowan again. He said to me, 'Ed, I'll see you through this from start to finish,' and told me I had been mixed up with a rotten gang. Later, at his office, he told me he was up against it for money. He said:

"'I have been fighting the old guard here for two or three years and spent a large sum, and you have got to help me.' I told him I had no money and he told me: 'You have got to raise some money.' A few days later I went to his office again and he told me again he wanted money. He was always talking about money."

"In reference to the civil suit, what was said?" asked Attorney Borden.

"McCowan told me: 'This thing is an outrage. Those people ought to be prosecuted for extortion,' but I don't think he has ever prosecuted them. He said it was a good thing the case had fallen into the hands of Foster and Barnhart, because they were closer to his office than any other attorneys. He said, in fact, that he did business with no other attorneys. 'I can handle those fellows all right,' McCowan said. 'You go down there with $500 or $1000 and they will settle. I want you to go to my law partner, D. F. Conway, and, if it is necessary for you to appear in court, he can appear for you.'

"I told him I could raise $1000 and he told me, 'You had better raise another thousand.' I told him I would not do it. Something was said then about letting me think it over in jail."

The witness was placed under a gruelling cross-examination, and in several instances his testimony did not correspond with that given by him before the grand jury. He explained, however, that the testimony he gave yesterday is the truth as he now remembers it.

Frequently Mr. McCutcheon was asked the direct question: "Did you ever at any time employ Mr. McCowan as your attorney? His answer was that he had not employed him as an attorney, but referred to the District Attorney in the light of his manager.

"Did McCowan say to you that you would have to spend money like water?" asked Attorney Farraher.

"Yes, he did, and made the same statement to my brother, Warren."

THE ALLEGED PLAN.

In reference to a plan for dropping the charges against him, the witness said: "McCowan told me he would tell Thompson (the girl's father, who had filed a suit for $75,000 damages against McCutcheon,) we'll have him arrested for attempted extortion and tell another party that we can have him arrested for embezzlement."

"Are you interested in this proceeding?" he was asked.

"I am not directly interested," he replied.

"Then you are not aiding or abetting it to your utmost?"

"No; I am here telling the truth so far as I know it."

There was a discrepancy between the statement of the witness in regard to money and the transcript of his evidence before the grand jury. Yesterday he said McCowan had spoken to him about the money that was to come from his brothers as being for his (McCowan's) personal use. Before the grand jury he said McCowan had never asked for money for himself. He admitted the affidavit he had made accusing the District Attorney was upon the advice of his attorney and upon his belief that it would help him in his own defense.

Warren McCutcheon, a brother of E. W. McCutcheon, said he had a conversation with McCowan in May, 1915. He corroborated the statement of his brother to the effect that he had told McCowan: "I have got $1000 for you." Then, he said, E. W. McCutcheon was told by McCowan that he would have to raise another like amount. "My brother refused to comply with the request," he said.

"McCowan told us one day that he thought if we would go down to Foster and Barnhart (attorneys) with $500, and agree to take care of the girl until she was 21 and then give her some money, that we could settle the case. I think my brother said he would think it over.

"Upon another occasion I met McCowan on the road to Taft. He called me out and said my brother Ed had treated him badly by employing Attorney Emmons, and he said that if Ed had put up a couple of thousand he could have got him probation."

STILL MORE MONEY.

J. B. McCutcheon, another brother of E. W. McCutcheon, was the first witness. He told of alleged conversations with McCowan in which the latter declared he was in need of money and finally agreed to accept $100 from the witness with the understanding that he was to produce a similar amount each month for several months.

The witness said he met McCowan upon several occasions but the demand for money was made in the District Attorney's office. In McCowan's office, Mr. McCutcheon said, they had a long conversation. The witness declared:

"McCowan said to me, 'Where is E.W.? He is a friend of mine and he ought to be here. I would make it as easy as I could for him.' A short time after my brother returned to the State I went to McCowan's office again. I asked him how it looked for Ed. He replied that it looked serious enough. Then he told me, 'I must have money.' I said, 'Do you mean from me?' He replied, 'Yes.' I told him I was paying interest on $20,000 and he told me that was nothing; that the fight he had been making against the old guard had cost him that much, too. I finally told him I would give him $100 in a day or two and he said, 'If you will do that and follow it up for several months, it will be acceptable. 'He told me to tell my brothers to come in and see him; that they would have to dig up, too.

"He said to me, 'It is a lucky thing that Foster and Barnhart (attorneys) are the lawyers opposing Ed, for their relations to my office are closer than any other attorneys.'"

The witness was cross-examined at length but his statement was unshaken as to material facts.

WIFE ON STAND.

Mrs. Katé McCutcheon, whose integrity was not questioned by attorneys for the defendant, one of them declaring she is a woman of unimpeachable character, was the next witness. She is the wife of E. W. McCutcheon and remained steadfastly by him throughout all his trouble. When she had completed her testimony Attorney Farraher of counsel for the defendant admitted to the court that her testimony was true.

She said that following J. B. McCutcheon's conversation with McCowan she called the latter up by telephone and arranged for a meeting with him.

"We talked about my husband," she said. "Mr. McCowan told me he was a friend of my husband and he was going to help him out of his trouble. He said, 'I tried to give J. B. the hint, but he would not take it.' He wanted to know where my husband was. I told him he was out of the State but I did not know just where. I told him I might be able to get him by advertising in the papers for him. He told me not to do it as that would 'put the old guard next.'

"Finally my husband came home and then I called Mr. McCowan up. He asked me if I had any news. He said, 'Now I am going to fix this all up for E. W. Tell Ed to be patient and lay low.' The next day Mr. McCowan called me up and told me to get E. W.'s brothers to come to my house the next day prepared to sign his bond. Later he said he had changed his mind about coming to my house and asked that the men come to his office. Still later he said he had changed his mind again and arranged for a meeting on Seventeenth street."

BLIND TRUST WANTED.

Mrs. McCutcheon then referred to the $75,000 suit for damages that had been filed against her husband and said McCowan told her, "We can settle that suit for $500." She said he further stated, "Ed seems to be sore at me. I don't blame him for the way he has been treated but tell him to trust me and trust me blindly."

Attorney Farraher introduced an affidavit which had been signed by Mrs. McCutcheon and asked her if what was stated in the document was true. "Yes, it is true, but that is not all I said. What I said here this morning is the whole truth." It appeared that some changes had been made in the affidavit at the request of Mrs. McCutcheon. She said she had asked that certain corrections be made before she signed it. It was then attempted by Attorney Farraher to further question her along that line but Judge Conrey ruled out such questions. The lawyers admitted they were not endeavoring to impeach the witness; that her statements were true and the court held that interrogations relating to the affidavit were immaterial.

The courtroom was crowded, most of the spectators being people of Bakersfield, all of whom are more or less interested in the outcome. The prosecution is handled by Attorneys F. E. Borton, C. E. Arnold, George E. Whitaker, C. V. Anderson and C. L. Claflin, the committee appointed by the Kern County Bar Association. Assisting Deputy District Attorney Farraher of Kern county is Marshall Stimson.

Attorneys for both sides said last night the case should be concluded by tomorrow evening. There are thirty witnesses but some of them may not be called.

Economy.

CIRCUMSCRIBE WITNESS FEES.

IMPORTANT RULING BY JUDGE TRIPPET ON MILEAGE.

Makes One Hundred Miles Limit of Volunteer Witnesses' Claims for Recompense—Testimony of Others will be Secured Through Depositions.

A question involving the pay of witnesses in Federal Court cases that has been buffeted about in the courts since 1852 and has never been decided by the United States Supreme Court formed the basis of an opinion rendered by Judge Trippet yesterday, in the action brought by the government against the Sounthern Pacific in one of the numerous oil cases.

For more than a half-century it has been a moot question whether the prevailing party in an action is entitled to a judgment for witness fees in instances where witnesses living outside the district were voluntary, or attended without the service of a subpoena by a United States marshal.

In 1852 Judge Sawyer, then sitting in the California territorial court, decided that in such cases witnesses were only entitled to fees for 100 miles travel from the point where court was held. This opinion was coincident with a judgment rendered by Justice Storey in Massachusetts, and by Justice Gray of the United States Supreme Court, in an opinion rendered on his curcuit.

Judge Trippet joins with such distinguished judicial company and decides that in cases of voluntary witnesses outside of the district they are entitled to fees for but 100 miles travel.

Judge Trippet stated that the object of the decision is to reduce the cost of litigation, for if witnesses were allowed mileage for long distances, the expense costs to the losing party might be piled up interminably. He also pointed out that, under the law, where witnesses reside more than 100 miles from where court is held depositions can be taken, thus reducing the cost of testimony.

In the case at bar the bill was only $275, but the opinion of Judge Trippet will go far toward settling a question that has been the subject of discussion in this jurisdiction for a great many years. It means that hereafter depositions will be taken of witnesses who reside in distant parts of the country. The ruling does not apply where subpoenas are served, but to what are known as volunteer witnesses.

Observance.

WILL HONOR PATRIOT.

Members of Seventy-two Organizations will Gather at Meeting to Mark Washington Anniversary; Two Thousand to March.

Seventy-two patriotic organizations of the Southland will join forces next Sunday night at a gathering in observance of Washington's birthday anniversary. Under the auspices of the patriotic committee of Roosevelt Camp, No. 9, United Spanish War Veterans, there will be a special service at Temple Auditorium. Rev. James A. Francis, D.D., will be the principal speaker and special music will be furnished by the Temple choir.

The organizations will assemble at Fifth and Olive streets at 7:15 o'clock p.m. and march into the auditorium at 7:20. It is expected that nearly 2000 members of patriotic bodies will be in line.

Many of those attending the service will be in uniform and the colors of the various camps, posts and auxiliaries will be carried.

VILLA DISAPPOINTS HIM.

Because his uncle, Francisco Villa, the Mexican bandit leader, had not come to his assistance with funds as expected, Francisco Villa, the younger, pleaded guilty to the charge of burglary when brought before Judge Craig yesterday. At the same time he asked for probation, a question which the court will decide next Thursday.

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Another notch in the rising barometer of prosperity was touched yesterday when a new and lively demand for county and State bonds injected real ginger into sale proceedings before the Board of Supervisors.

For more than three years there has been no possibility of selling 4 per cent. improvement bonds unless at a loss. Yesterday E. H. Rollins & Sons bid par and accrued interest on the $500,000 State Highway bonds which have been in possession of the county for more than two years.

A number of other bond houses were represented, and voiced a strong protest because the bonds were not generally readvertised, permitting the protestants to bid. The board decided it was advisable to accept the offer as it stood, for fear there might be a slip in the future.

When the State prepared to build the highway system the officials in control promised to complete the roads in those counties which accepted a certain portion of the entire issue. Urged by several civic bodies, the Los Angeles County Supervisors voted to accept $500,000 of the bonds and resell them when the opportunity presented itself.

Supervisor Norton made a violent protest against such action. He declared the bonds would never bring their face value, much interest or a premium. He even went so far as to demand an indemnity bond to insure the county against losses.

This bond was for $100,000 and was signed by a number of public-spirited citizens who desired that the work go ahead in order that Los Angeles should continue to rank first of all counties in the State in the matter of good highways. Yesterday, through the sale of the bonds at par and accrued interest, the signers were released from further obligation.

Supervisor Norton was anxious to readvertise the bonds for higher bids, but owing to his previous stand in the matter he allowed the sale without protest, voting in favor of it after making a few explanatory remarks.

Seemed Easy.

SHORTENS HONEYMOON.

Bridegroom, Arrested in Portland on a Bad-check Charge, is Held for Trial and Goes to County Jail in Default of Bail Bond.

Captured last week in Portland with his bride, while on a honeymoon trip, Charles W. Morrison was given a preliminary hearing before Justice Hanby yesterday on a charge of having cashed fictitious checks on Zambusky Brothers, Main-street jewelers, from whom he purchased a diamond ring for his fiancee.

According to the evidence, Mr. Morrison came to Los Angeles from New Mexico. He became interested in diamonds in the jeweler's window, and when asked to look them over was very willing to do this. He declared that he had no cash, but offered to give a check drawn against the First National Bank at Roswell, N. M., his former home.

The check was for $250, and, in addition to receiving the ring he wanted, Mr. Morrison accepted $125 in cash. On the following day he stopped in and had another check for $35 cashed and then disappeared. Several days later the jewelers received the checks marked no funds.

Mr. Morrison was traced from Los Angeles northward, and was arrested by Portland police on a local warrant. Deputy District Attorney Heincke prosecuted the case. Mr. Morrison was bound over to the Superior Court on bail of $5000, in default of which he was sent to the County Jail.

In Peace Paths.

TO RESUME SAILINGS.

Canadian Pacific Steamers, Used by British for Months as Cruisers, Soon to Return to Runs from America to Orient. Good Service.

A side-light on the European war is shed by announced resumption of trans-Pacific sailings by the Canadian Pacific ocean services.

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The Canadian Pacific empresses have been in this service since the war's outbreak. Britain's naval situation being now so satisfactory, particularly in the Pacific Ocean, they are released for their more peaceful functions.

Both liners have shed their war gear and in a couple of months will come forth arrayed for passenger service in all of their original luxuriousness.

The Philippine Islands, as well as Japan and China, are brought much closer to the United States by resumption of this Canadian Pacific service across the Pacific. The triptime from the United States to Japan is only ten days; to Peking, China, only fifteen days; to Manila, only seventeen days. Regular sailings will commence in April.

ON WOOLWINE'S STAFF.

Walter H. Austin, who during the last four years has served as captain of detectives for Santa Monica, was named by Dist.-Atty. Woolwine to succeed Joe Margolis on the staff of special investigators. Austin was for a number of years connected with the Venice police force, prior to going to Santa Monica. He is 37 years of age and has been a resident of the county thirty years.

Technical.

WILL GOES TO PIECES.

Witnesses Signed Instrument while Woman was not Looking, so Her Intention to Leave Estate to Two Children Fails in Probate Court.

The intention of Mrs. Jane M. Eddy to bequeath her estate to her daughter, Belle E. Gorham, and her son, Fred H. Wiswell, children of a former marriage, was thwarted in the Probate Court yesterday when Judge Rives denied the probate, on the ground that the will had not been signed by the witnesses in Mrs. Eddy's presence. The evidence of George F. Howard and Marie R. Howard of Eagle Rock was that they went into an adjoining room and placed their signatures as witness to the will and brought it back to Mrs. Eddy.

The will apparently bequeathed a larger sum of money than the estate contained. The petition of Col. James W. Eddy, the husband, for letters of administration values it at $6000. Mrs. Eddy gave $5000 to her granddaughter, Mrs. Alice B. Curtin; $5000 to another grand-daughter, Mrs. Helen C. Shuman; $2 to Clarence F. Gorham, a grandson, and $1 to Kent Wiswell, another grandson. Miss Etta Butler was bequeathed $100. The residue was given to her children, Belle and Fred.

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TO SEGREGATE FLOOD BONDS?

Supervisors Balk at Lumping Vote on Control Issue.

Final Arrangements are to be Made in Detail Today.

Engineer Reports on Need for Emergency Work Now.

Final arrangements for the proposed bond issue to start flood control work in Los Angeles county will be made a special order of business before the Board of Supervisors this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Although the Flood Control Association voted in favor of placing the bond issue up to a vote of the people as a single proposition, it is possible that this suggestion will not be followed, several Supervisors being in favor of a segregated issue, denoting certain portions of work for which the bonds are to be.

A hot fight is expected if any argument on this issue is raised. At the same time the recommendations of Flood Control Engineer Reagan will be considered. He filed his report yesterday. In this, he calls attentions to the urgency of immediate work in some parts of the county.

He speaks of the sudden change of the San Gabriel River bed in 1866, when it left its old channel at Whittier Narrows and ran from there to Alamitos Bay, a change in alignment of approximately twenty miles. He mentions the changes of the same river in 1872, when it formed the Lexington Wash near El Monte, and in 1891 when it cut a new channel through the Laguna ranch.

Urgent work suggested in his report is the erection of a double row of piling between Boyle avenue and the Salt Lake bridge, in order to prevent erosion of the Los Angeles River at Vernon, where several hundred feet of Vernon avenue was washed out at the last flood. He also urges turning back the river at the Cudahy ranch, where several homes were washed away when the stream left its original banks; protection of the east bank of the old San Gabriel River, between the Santa Fe bridge and the Pacific Electric bridge on the Whittier line, and protection of highways north and east of El Monte, at a cost of approximately $40,000.

AID FOR BANKRUPTS.

Judge Blandy States His Attitude on These Cases to Attorneys.

When calling the court calendar yesterday, Judge Trippet sounded a warning to persons having bankruptcy cases in his court. A number had been called, and there was no response by attorneys representing the petitioners, when the court announced that unless these matters were promptly looked after they will be dropped from the calendar next Monday.

In taking this action Judge Trippet said that bankruptcy cases are always given right of way in his court for he recognized their importance to persons who are trying to get on their feet financially, and he proposed to assist the unfortunates by compelling their attorneys to pay the necessary attention to their cases.

BOY BADLY SCALDED.

Johnny Borich, 3 years old, fell into a tub of scalding water, at his home, No. 128 Castelar street, yesterday, while pursuing a timid kitten. His mother was preparing to do the Monday morning washing and had a tub filled. She heard the boy's screams and rescued him. He was taken to the Receiving Hospital for treatment. The injuries are serious.

Rally To Save.

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it and for the next twenty years they cut stalks from the same root.

"Here we must plant our crops every year and pay well for labor to cultivate them. We must pay high prices for our seed and high prices for everything else we use in connection with the industry. Facing as we do a seed famine, because of the closing of all foreign seed markets, except possibly Russia, our only salvation lies in the repeal of the free-sugar clause."

Mr. Palmer, who has been in Washington fourteen years, said the repeal of the objectionable clause will be considered by Congress this week. The association has waged a consistent fight for repeal since the clause was passed in 1913 and members of the association yesterday expressed belief that the repeal bill will be put through this month.

In regard to the shortage of sugar-beet seed, a report from the European seed committee was presented in which hope was held out for obtaining a considerable supply from Russia, although at a very high price. Germany, Holland, Austria and France, the usual market places for American buyers, have declared an embargo on sugar-beet seed and, according to the report, will bid against Americans in the Russian market.

WAR TURNS TIDE.

H. H. Rolapp, president of the association, stated yesterday that the war has saved American growers. He said:

"Germany has annually exported more than 1,500,000 tons of sugar; other countries engaged in the war, lesser quantities. Since the beginning of the conflict, and more particularly within the past six months, they have been importing. This has resulted in a demand for sugar which gives American growers a price that enables them to make a profit. But if the conditions had been normal it is very doubtful if we could compete at all in any but our own markets. With free sugar we would have no chance even in our domestic markets."

Following the general session yesterday at the Alexandria, at which various reports were submitted and much routine business transacted, these officers were elected: President, H. H. Rolapp of Salt Lake; vice-presidents, C. S. Morey of Denver, J. Ross Clark of Los Angeles and Carman N. Smith of Minneapolis; executive secretary and treasurer, Truman G. Palmer of Washington.

Today's session, which will begin at 9 o'clock a.m., will be devoted largely to a discussion of seed growing. W. K. Winterhalter, in charge of the seed farm of the association in Southern Idaho, will submit a report of the work at the farm and tell of the methods of growing recommended by the horticultural experts employed there.

The principal feature of the afternoon session will be the demonstration of filter presses, which are coming into general use in several sugar-beet localities. The demonstration will be accompanied by a lecture on methods of filtration. Among the members of the association who are greatly interested in the filter press is C. S. Morey of Denver, president of the Great Western Sugar Company and a leading authority on filtration.

BURDEN TOO GREAT.

Shame for Conviction Causes Prisoner to Commit Suicide.

Despondent because he had besmirched his name by being sent to prison on a vagrancy charge, Reginaldo Frederico committed suicide in Topanga Canyon, yesterday morning. When sent to the prison camp at that place several weeks ago, the young Italian declared that he was innocent and that he would never live to face his friends again, the burden of his shame being too great.

For a time he was closely watched, but not having made any effort to commit suicide the officers relaxed their attention. Frederico slipped out during the night, and making a noose of his shirt, hanged himself to an oak tree.

His body was sent to a Santa Monica morgue awaiting the outcome of a search for relatives or friends of the man, who was only 32 years of age.

Attention, Mr. Ford!

HUNDRED THOUSAND VOTES IN TWO DAYS' HUSTLING.

Still Time to Form a Five-year Club and Jump into the Lead in "The Times" Great Automobile Prize Contest. Special Offer Closes at 9 p.m. Tomorrow Night, and Liveliest Days of the Campaign are Opening.

THE biggest special offer that will be given in The Times big automobile and prize campaign—100,000 extra votes on each club of new subscriptions aggregating five years—closes tomorrow (Wednesday) night at 9 o'clock sharp. In order that contestants residing at distant points or in the country may have the same length of time to devote to this offer that city candidates have all letters containing new subscriptions and remittances will be credited on this offer, providing they are mailed in time to show a postmark not later than the hour mentioned. Enough new subscriptions added together to make five years constitutes a club, entitling the candidate to all the regular votes and an additional 100,000 votes as a bonus. Positively the most liberal vote offer of the entire campaign — two more days.

If Henry Ford had only selected his "peace delegates" among the women of the Southwest who are now candidates in The Times great automobile and prize campaign, he would have acquired a volume of energy and "get-away-with-it" spirit that undoubtedly would have brought soldiers out of their trenches in exceedingly fast time.

Which is by way of saying that the aforementioned candidates are stirring up some of the liveliest "hustle" that has ever been witnessed in this section.

The cause is directly attributable to the soon-to-close special 100,000-vote offer on five-year clubs of new subscriptions. The way these candidates are piling up votes for themselves brings the reflection that the same amount of diligence applied most anywhere else would carry everything before it.

Two days is all the time remaining in which a club of new subscriptions totaling five years will entitle the candidate to 100,000 extra votes in addition to the regular votes she would get anyhow. Tomorrow night at 9 o'clock is the closing hour. What will happen between now and then goodness only knows; judging by what has already happened, the campaign department is going to be swamped with such a deluge of business that it won't be able to recover for a week.

It is surprising to know the number of contestants who have advanced themselves from practically nothing to the top. Every day new names are entered as contenders for the sixteen beautiful Times cars; every day brings new claims for leadership. By the time this offer closes, additional entries will probably have started, for quite a number of women are still planning on entering the campaign.

Not a better time could possibly exist than right now. In a few hours it is possible to get enough subscriptions, and the votes thereon, to attain a position in the vote column equal to that of any other candidate. A five-year club is worth enough votes to even start a comfortable reserve fund.

Speaking of getting subscriptions, worlds of ingenuity are being displayed by many of the various contestants in furthering the interests of their candidacy. The columns of local papers have been used to advantage, cards have been printed and distributed, and in several instances reports have come in of young women who are making the "movies" work for them. Attractive slides, thrown on the screen at intervals, have, it is stated, enlisted the interest of entire towns and communities. Circular letters sent to a list of friends are also bringing good results.

At this time of the campaign rumors are likely to become current that are inspired for the purpose of discouraging some ambitious candidate. Someone will say that Miss So-and-So has this and that many votes, or that a certain candidate has an inside pull, etc., etc.

These stories should be taken with a grain of salt. Most likely they emanate from some jealous competitor who hopes by this means to rid herself of a closely-pressing contender. Idle gossip will not win automobiles; to listen to such tales is a waste of time. Undaunted courage and the determination to surmount every obstacle are necessary for victory.

It is perhaps not amiss to state that The Times has gained a wide reputation for the absolute honesty and fairness with which it conducts all its campaigns. And it jealously guards this reputation, never for a moment permitting any procedure that might mar the fairness of the campaign. Underhanded methods will not be tolerated; the candidates are engaging in a clean enterprise wherein their commendable ambitions will be rewarded in the ratio of the energy they display. They will win prizes the value of which are common knowledge; the rewards fittingly crown the efforts expended.

When candidates ask their friends and acquaintances for a subscription to The Times, they know they are representing one of the greatest newspapers in the United States. The Times strives to make its columns better every day and each issue represents a careful representation of the latest news, together with special features that interest everybody. It is a paper that performs its functions in the best way that money and brains can. Whenever a subscriber spends 75 cents to read The Times for a month, it is satisfying to know he or she gets every bit of that 75 cents back in readable news and entertaining fiction—and more.

This explains why this campaign has created such an overwhelming interest not only among young women, but among others who are interested from the standpoint of seeing these candidates make the climb that wins reward.

Some will find it comparatively easy to win; others will meet difficulties that require courage to overcome; all will experience wholesome fun in this remarkable race. If you are not already listed among these energetic candidates, send in your nomination today. Your opportunities are as great as theirs.

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One Year	7.80	35,000	17,500
Two Years	15.60	80,000	40,000

LOS ANGELES SUNDAY TIMES DELIVERED BY MAIL ONLY.

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Three Months	$ 1.00	500	250
Six Months	2.00	1,500	750
One Year	3.50	4,000	2,000
Two Years	7.00	12,000	6,000

No subscription will be accepted for a longer period than two years.

FOR MONTANANS.

Annual Meeting of the State Society to be Held Washington's Birthday.

The annual meeting of the Montana Society of Southern California will be held a week from today, Washington's Birthday, at Sycamore Grove. A large attendance is expected, as there are a great many people from Montana who are spending the winter in Southern California. Coffee will be provided. The officers of the society are: J. Ross Clark, president; J. D. Radford, secretary and treasurer; Peter Koch, Thomas McTeague, J. W. Morris, Dr. W. A. Tudor and A. C. Green, vice-presidents.

Speakers expected for the occasion are Gov. J. E. Rickards, Maj. Martin MacGinnis and some others.

For the accommodation of people attending the picnic from Long Beach a special train over the Salt Lake route has been provided that will land its passengers at the park.

Victims Trip Him.

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I got on the train and came here. I have about $30 left."

Friedman was searched at the City Jail. A quantity of blank checks and two or three already filled out against the Houston bank were discovered. He declared he had no intention of cashing more checks. Several peculiarly worded letters were also found, and a bond, with three coupons detached, which he said had been given him by a friend, was discovered. Friedman stated he had cashed the coupons.

According to advices received from Houston, Friedman endeavored to draw $600 against his account the same day he deposited the fictitious checks. The rules of the bank, however, halted this, as no mony could be paid out until the checks were honored in New York. Friedman knew, according to his confession, these checks would never be honored, and as a result, Mr. Rosenberg and Mr. Goldbaum became the victims. It is expected Friedman will be returned to Texas on their complaints.

Cash.

FOR SIR KNIGHTS.

County Board of Supervisors Makes Appropriation Without a Dissenting Voice for Great Conclave to be Held in This City Next June.

Without a dissenting voice the Board of Supervisors voted to appropriate $20,000 toward defraying the expenses of the coming Knights Templars Triennial Conclave next June, which is expected to be one of the greatest conventions ever held in Los Angeles. Motley Flint, accompanied by several other Knights, appeared before the board yesterday morning with the request that some assistance be given. Mr. Flint explained the nature of the conclave briefly, and the appropriation was voted without question.

ON BIGAMY CHARGE.

Secret Service Agent Blanford received information yesterday that John Wesley Sutton, who is charged with bigamy by a woman here, has been indicted by the State courts at Little Rock, Ark., for a similar offense. Mr. Blanford, who worked up much of the evidence against Sutton here, will be a witness in the case, as will also one of Sutton's alleged Los Angeles wives. An attempt was made to prosecute Sutton for violation of the Mann White Slave Act, but evidence along that line was not sufficient.

Important!

Jevne's Service to the Steamship "Northern Pacific" (Sailing Thursday)

Have you friends sailing on this wonderful ship? In order to facilitate delivery of "bon voyage" packages, we have arranged for a special motor truck direct to the Harbor on sailing day—Thursday. Our own special deliveryman will place directly in the purser's care, any candies, wines, cigars, cigarettes, fruit baskets, or other "bon voyage" packages with which you wish to favor the parting friend. There is no extra charge for this special service—orders must be placed by 6 P. M. tomorrow night.

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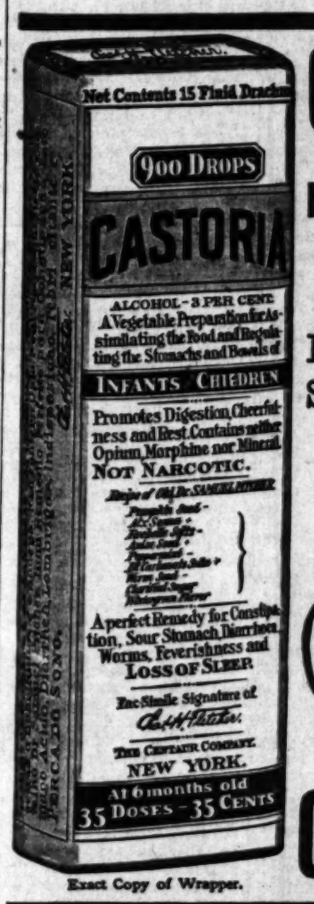

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Signed .....

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One $1185 BEARDSLEY ELECTRIC TOWN CAR, 1916 model, four-passenger, fully equipped. On display at Beardsley Electric Company, 1250-1260 West 7th St.

One $1175 OAKLAND TOURING CAR, 1916 model, five-passenger, fully equipped. On display at Hawley, King & Co., 1027-33 South Olive St.

One $1085 HOLLIER "8" TOURING CAR, five-passenger, 1916 model, fully equipped. On display at R. P. Pennock, 1011-1019 South Olive St.

One $895 GRANT SIX, 1916 model, five-passenger touring car, fully equipped. On display at Bekins-Speers Motor Co., Pico at Grand Ave.

One $885 SAXON SIX TOURING CAR, 1916 model, five-passenger, fully equipped. On display at Saxon Motor Sales Co., 1140 South Olive St.

One $850 BRISCOE TOURING CAR, 1916 model, five-passenger, fully equipped. On display at Pacific KisselKar Branch, corner 19th and Olive Sts.

One $850 PULLMAN TOURING CAR, 1916 model, five-passenger, fully equipped. On display at Aston Motor Car Co., 1310-12 South Grand Ave.

One $850 SCRIPPS-BOOTH ROADSTER, 1916 model, three-passenger, fully equipped. On display at R. C. Hamlin, 1040 South Flower St.

Two $795 OVERLAND MODEL 83 TOURING CARS, 1916, five-passenger, fully equipped. On display at J. W. Leavitt & Co., 1235 South Olive St.

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One $685 METZ TOURING CAR, 1916 model, five-passenger, fully equipped. On display at The Metz Company, 118 West Pico St.

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Nature stands for lots of abuse, but in time makes known its overwork—when your kidneys are overworked by the over-abundance of Uric Acid—your back aches—you are subject to dizzy spells—very nervous—sleep poorly—lack of energy. These are some of the signs of kidney trouble—check this trouble to avoid dangerous Bright's Disease or the dreaded diabetes. Rheumatism in its painful forms, lumbago or sciatica, is caused by Uric Acid. When you are aware of any of these symptoms, do not delay, but get from your druggist a package of Dr. Pierce's Anuric Tablets. Insist upon Anuric, for it is a safe and reliable remedy, and will conquer Uric Acid. Delays are dangerous.

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(Signed) MRS. HETTIE LEE.

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TREND OF THE FINANCIAL NEWS.

CHIEF EVENTS OF YESTERDAY.

(At Home:) A further rise to 27½ cents for refined copper for June delivery is quoted, with shares of nearly all copper concerns being relatively higher. Speculators, as a rule, were not inclined to nibble at purely war securities, preferring domestic investments. One note of optimism was the report that $10,000,000 in gold was on the way from Russia to establish a further credit for that nation in this country.

(Abroad:) England is to vote another war loan of $1,250,000,000, making a total so far, of $9,560,000,000.

(For details, see financial pages.)

NON-RECOGNITION OF CARRANZA.

Carranza has been "recognized" by every country in this hemisphere except Mexico. He does not dare to go—at least he has not gone—to the City of Mexico—the capital of that republic.

NOT THE NEEDFUL.

The public is cheerfully advised that a wireless message of warning can be flashed around the United States, touching 25,000 operators, in less than a minute. This wouldn't help much where a nation needed ten years to get ready to meet trouble.

CENSURE THE VILLAINS.

Unless it is too late it might be well to add to the bill to expatriate the Philippine Islands a clause censuring Admiral Dewey for his reprehensible conduct in capturing Manila, denouncing President McKinley and Secretary Hay for wresting the islands from Spain, and jumping on Billy Bryan with both feet for his efforts in inducing the Senate to ratify the treaty.

ON SUCH A DAY.

A lizard steals with rapid little feet
up the nearest palm, the lady ants spres
transparent wings in the brightness of the
morning, your dog comes to lie beside your
bench in the sun, eager for the
companionship the days of warmth bring; in
the peach trees the bees beat rapturous
wings while slaking hot thirst with the
honey of spring.

COLOSSAL IMPUDENCE.

So Johnson is a candidate for delegate-at-large from the State of California to the Chicago Republican Convention. Well, if he hasn't got a gall! Imagine Jefferson Davis running for Congress in Massachusetts. Imagine Benedict Arnold as a candidate for President against George Washington. Imagine Judas Iscariot standing by the tomb of the Savior and insisting upon his right to personally superintend the resurrection!

TOO HUMAN.

There is a funny thing about hens. They are as consistently inconsistent as human beings. In the winter, when eggs are worth 60 cents a dozen, the hens lay little scrawny specimens and not many of those. As soon as eggs drop to about 30 cents, every hen in the country tries to break her neck laying a great big egg every day and two on Sunday. They must belong to the trust and be in cahoots with the commission men and the money market.

ELIMINATING THE YAQUIS.

If it is true that Carranza intends to stamp out the Yaqui Indians, then Mexico is far from peace. As a general proposition, the Indian is a hopeless critter, but the Yaqui is not a general proposition. He is a law unto himself. He is not so good as the Spaniard, but he is often better than the mixture of Spaniard and Indian. He is a short, stout, brown man with plenty of muscle, a great deal of energy and a fair amount of intelligence. His valley has long been coveted and he has fought bitterly to retain it. If his own country could be surrendered to him as a reservation, he would remain within its limits and be satisfied. So long as it is contested, he is certain to fight with all the cunning and the cruelty that is in the Indian nature.

BRANDEIS NOT YET CONFIRMED.

The Times receives with satisfaction the news that Gifford Pinchot is using every effort to secure the confirmation of the appointment of Brandeis to the Supreme bench. No single influence that could be invoked against Brandeis will do so much to secure his rejection as the support of Pinchot.

In a proclamation issued some years ago Pinchot said: "We [meaning thereby kings, editors, men with tapeworms, and Pinchot] are engaged in a serious effort to escape from the domination of the special interests in control of natural resources"—(excepting the Pocahontas Coal Company, the Northwestern Lumber Company and the oil companies which have obtained patents.)

Brandeis has been the attorney and colleague of Pinchot in all the movements of the latter toward the trough of the animal who proposes to get there first and stay there with snout and both feet therein.

It is apparent that President Wilson having yielded to Gompers and his gang to the extent of appointing Brandeis, and finding that the appointment has been received with a storm of protests from lawyers and others in all parts of the country, has concluded not to make any special effort to secure the confirmation of his appointee, and the result is likely to be the rejection of Brandeis, greatly to the discomfiture of those professional friends of humanity, Tom Lawson and Samuel Untermyer.

THE THREATENED RAILWAY STRIKE.

It is reported that 309,000 railway engineers, firemen, conductors and trainmen, whose total pay roll amounts to $400,000,000, or an average of $1289 per annum, have combined in a nation-wide movement for a general advance in wages for their members and other employees of the same classes, on all the railways of the United States and some of those in Canada, including 230,000 miles of line. This claim is made under the pretext of a demand for an eight-hour day, although the number of hours that a railway employee shall work has really nothing to do with the real matter in issue.

This increase in wages is demanded notwithstanding the fact that in 1914 wages had been increased—over those paid in 1903—of engineers, 30 per cent.; conductors, 32 per cent.; firemen, 41 per cent., and trainmen, 42 per cent.

The advance now demanded would increase the average pay of these railroad hands to $1611 per annum, and inflict a burden upon the companies—which the companies would unload upon the public—of $100,000,000 per annum.

The interest of the public is so large the railroads believe it is their duty to present an explanation of the more important points involved. This they have done in a pamphlet issued by the Executive Committee of Western Railways.

The committee says that the demands of the employees "do not mean an eight-hour working day, as represented. They do mean an increase of approximately 25 per cent. over present wages, which were fixed by arbitration, for the same amount of work. They mean an increase of 87½ per cent. compared with the present rates for overtime. To allow the increases would add $100,000,000 a year to the operating expenses of all the roads in the United States for the benefit of men whose average pay per day was increased by from 30 to 42 per cent. from 1903 to 1914, while the wages of the western engineers and firemen were further increased in 1915."

The proposed eight-hour basis of payment in railway service, and the eight-hour day as commonly understood are two very different things.

"In a factory or in many other kinds of work the employers decide that eight or nine or ten hours shall constitute a day, and work may be stopped at the expiration of that period. In railway service, on the other hand, the working day is governed in road service by the length of time required to run a train from one terminal to another, and in yard and hostling service by the volume and character of business to be handled in a day. As neither of these factors is affected by the rates of pay, and as the employees only propose to change the rates of pay, it is evident that they do not expect to work any shorter hours.

"Instead of providing for an eight-hour day the rules which the labor organizations propose would simply increase the wages paid for the same amount of work, and the question resolves itself into the single issue as to whether or not the highest-paid classes of railroad employees are entitled to still more money for their services."

The demand for an increase of 25 per cent. in pay made by the railroad brotherhoods, accompanied by the statement of their officers that they will refuse to submit their ukase to arbitration and that unless the increase is granted a general strike of the enginemen and trainmen will be called, is in the nature of a hold-up as conscienceless as that of a highwayman who points a pistol at the traveler and demands his money or his life.

The movement of the railway employees is of tremendous importance to both the railways and the public. The question presented is not one that concerns only the employees and the railways; for any large advance in railway wages would have to be borne by the public, and the disastrous effect that would be produced by a strike which would tie up all the railroads of the country and the commerce of the entire nation is impossible of computation.

The capital invested in transportation is about one-sixth of all the wealth of the country and about one-twelfth of the workers of the land depend for their livelihood on the wages paid by transportation corporations. Seventeen thousand million dollars of the peoples' savings are invested in transportation securities. The sole source of revenue for the maintenance, development and expansion of our railroad systems must come from the men and women who ride on the trains as passengers and from those who ship their goods over the railroad lines. If the pay of railroad employees is increased one hundred millions of dollars per annum that increase must be paid by an additional charge on the passengers and shippers of freight.

The railroads desire to retain in their service a high class of men and to pay them wages commensurate with their skill and responsibility as well as with the hazards and other conditions of their employment. They believe that the engine and trainmen are now receiving adequate and even liberal wages for the service performed. The present wage scales have been fixed by arbitration under Federal laws by impartial boards of arbitration representing not only the railroads and their employees but also the public, which have taken into consideration not only the conditions of employment and wages in the railroad service in comparison with other lines of industry, but also the higher standard of living.

No new conditions affecting either wages or conditions of employment have arisen since these previous advances in wages were adopted to justify rates of pay higher than the men are now receiving.

Such large additions to expenses as would be caused by acceding to the demands of the employees would render imperative additional increases in passenger and freight rates.

If the railroads shall feel compelled to yield and shall yield to the demands of these union labor brigands, and the railroad commissions shall allow them to increase their rates of fare and freight, then we shall hear a howl from the yellow press denouncing predatory wealth and loathsome capitalism for oppressing God's poor by raising the price of Pullman berths, and freight on reaping machines, and wine, and oranges.

And if the commissions refuse to grant an increase in freight and fare rates, then the roads will go into the hands of receivers and lawyers will rejoice, and stockholders can tear up their certificates. It will be a worse fate for the railroads than being kicked by Johnson.

Introspection.

THE SINEWS OF PREPAREDNESS.

President Wilson has had a great deal to say, a very great deal to say, lately on the subject of national defense. On this as on many other matters of public policy he has displayed an amazing change of heart. Being a reasonable being, he has good cause for this last departure. He would have us believe in this he is leading popular opinion. Of course in reality he is following it.

In this game of political bridge whist, in which he has grudgingly taken the people as a partner, the people have called clubs for trumps and Mr. Wilson has had to expose the dummy hand. And when the people come to examine the support they expected to find in that hand, it isn't there.

While the country has a gold reserve of six billion dollars in its private coffers, the national treasury is empty. Without necessary funds to finance the movement, the President is asking us to make bricks without straw in putting forward his plans for preparedness. Instead of ringing a big alarm bell and hinting at vague and shadowy dangers, if he be in earnest, he ought to be seriously considering how to supply the sinews on which any national scheme of preparedness depends.

After three years of smashed tariffs, incommoded business and truckling to labor bosses, the apex of which policy is seen in attempting to foist a demagogue into the highest legal office in the gift of the nation, the nation's finances are hopelessly confused. It is obvious to all a policy of preparedness is mainly a matter of money. It means the expenditure of treasure now to avoid the shedding of blood hereafter. The President, for all his platitudes and rhetorical flourishes, carefully avoids a straightforward avowal of this paramount difficulty.

What would we think of our City Council if it urged the necessity for a larger police force, knew the city treasury was empty and persisted in a policy that would keep it so? Woodrow Wilson knows that unless he stultifies himself, forswears the chief plank in the Democratic platform and comes out as an advocate of a protective tariff, his plans for preparedness will never get beyond the blue-print stage. So with political astuteness he attempts to introduce a restoration of the tariff under another name. "A bill to prevent the dumping of cheap foreign-made goods on the American market" is a good enough name for those who place no value on conciseness. But the people as a rule prefer to call a rose a rose; a spade a spade, and a tariff a tariff.

We have decided with evident unanimity that preparedness is essential. The war and navy departments figure that this preparedness will cost the people in the neighborhood of $350,000,000. Are we willing to foot the bill? If so, how shall we raise the money? This is the true test for our American patriotism.

Therefore to prove ourselves patriotic and earnest in our expressions we will see to it that in the future this nation is guided by a party and a President first of all guaranteed to provide the sinews of peace, without which any plan for safeguarding that peace must fall to the ground. Every republican administration has left the country with a handsome profit, every Democratic administration with a deplorable deficit.

If we earnestly desire to see our country as prepared as she ought to be within practical limits, in these doubtful and troublous times, to meet any sudden emergency that may confront us, we shall return that party to power that can supply us with the bricks and mortar from which the watchtower of preparedness must be solidly constructed.

HIGHER EDUCATION IN LOS ANGELES COUNTY.

The county of Los Angeles disbursed for its high schools in 1913-14 the sum of $2,295,923. Of this amount the city of Los Angeles expended $1,235,996 on its fourteen different high schools. According to a report of the County Superintendent of Schools, published November, 1915, there was an average daily attendance in the high schools of the county of 16,832 pupils, nearly 10,000 of which were in the city schools.

The number of teachers employed in these schools numbered 938 and the average of their salaries ranged from $1054 for some of the country districts to $1625 in the Los Angeles city schools. The average number of pupils per teacher ranged from 7 to 18, the average in the city per teacher being 17. The average cost per pupil, based on the daily attendance average, varied from $241 for the Antelope high-school district to $81 for Long Beach, the figure for this city being $135.

Los Angeles city is now providing a "Junior College" course which gives two years of regular college work to graduates of the high schools who wish to go further. It is only a question of time when the city and county of Los Angeles will have a college or university which will rank with the State University. This must be the next step in our educational development. It is a great goal to have in view.

Shifted the Charges.

[Chicago News:] A barrister with a long experience of queer juries in the mining region of Pennsylvania tells the following amusing story as illustrating their eccentricities.

A man was charged with committing a murderous assault upon another as a result of some political differences.

The assault having been committed at night, there appeared to be some difficulty in identifying the assailant, and, as a matter of fact, the counsel for the defense made out an excellent case for the prisoner, calling witnesses to testify that he was nowhere near the spot where the assault took place on the night in question.

Everybody concerned fully expected that the jury would bring in a verdict of acquittal; yet, to the general astonishment, the foreman announced that the prisoner had been found guilty. "But," he added, observing the general consternation created by his statement, "not guilty of this assault, Your Honor. This is the spalpeen who stole Biddy McCarthy's pig last year and we found him guilty of that."

Real Medicine.

[Dallas News:] Customer: I've taken seventeen of these bottles now, and I'm feeling no better.

Drug Clerk: But how would you feel if you hadn't taken them?

Force of Habit.

[Louisville Courier-Journal:] "This is a toy tea set my little girl got for Christmas. She likes to serve make-believe tea and make-believe sandwiches. A harmless fancy."

"Perfectly. I've been to grown-up affairs where they did it."

Helping the Doctors.

[Yonkers Statesman:] Bill: I see some parts of the South are still giving us trouble.

Jill: How so?

Why, I see that Baldwin county, Alabama, has shipped 102 cars of cucumbers.

AN AGNOSTIC SPEAKS.

BY GORDON RAY YOUNG.

In awe and trembling with my quest to fill,
My face uplifted in the misty light,
I stand alone upon this barren hill,
O God, much humbled by the solemn night.

Long have I drunk the schoolmen's heady wine,
And glibly conned by rote the book-made phrase
Among the worshipers who seek thy shrine
To chant adoringly their choric praise.
But now beset by slashing doubts that play
With me as gamesters with a chessboard pawn,
And peering through the cracks of prisoning clay,
I upward gaze where sparks of stars have gone
When scattered by creation's anvil blows:
There clustered on the vast black breast of night
The cryptic myriad-pointed symbol glows
Before my dazed, uncomprehending sight.
And though I've mocked thy name with maudlin cries,
My lips are wiped of mockery and sneer.
I send my voice into the vaulted skies
Aching with hope it may attain thy ear.

O God—if thou art God—no fantasy—
No spectral vision of an ape-man sire
When he beheld the raging storm clouds flee
Before the twisted lightning's vivid fire
And recked thy wrath in hurricanes was called
Swiftly to punish him for some grimace,
Then tumbled earthward, screaming, fear-enthralled,
Abjectly pleading with averted face—
I pray thee search the chambers of my brain
And scan the scrolls of jumbled records writ
By iron pens that dipped in flaming pain
Have questioned life and all the good of it.
There read the challenge I cannot repress
From an inner voice untaught by word or book
That shouts above the churchmen who hard press
My ear with theologic faith, "But look—
And looking see men like the microbes on
A mote of dung stirred by a breeze that sweeps
The city street. They argue pro and con
As whether 'chance' or 'designed order' keeps
The arc lights burning in a brilliant row:
'And if design—then what important role
Do microbes play in it? And if not so—
Then what's the good of lights strung on a pole?'"

O God—if thou art God—and planned for me
As thy star-lit proscenium was laid
Across the firmament, how can I be
Other than terror-haunted, dire afraid,
When thus shoved blindly out into thy scheme—
A poor bewildered actor, dragged upon the stage
Untutored in the tragic drama's theme,
Witless to play a role that may enrage
The master of the show? Else then I am
Nought but a mannikin tied to a string
Held in thy hidden hand; and thou dost sham
To me a free-voiced part, so that I fling
Wild words in reckless speech: make arguments
To prove there is no "string," no "hidden hand,"
Whilst thou dost watch thy puppet's insolence,
Proudly amused the game is so well planned.
And when my antics shall have tired thy eyes
As clownish tricks thus oft repeated must,
Thou wilt from somewhere in the distant skies
But snap the string, and let me fall to dust.

O God—if thou art God who didst design
And mould in patient hands this pond'rous globe—
Who didst with cunning artistry confine
The sapphire seas to roaring shores, enrobe
The billowed hills with verdured manties raised
From out the flowered vales, and didst so grace
The earth with quickened arabesques that glazed
By sunlight it hath found a jewel's place
In the mosaic of the universe—why then
Should priests teach me their litanies and urge
My worship in the gloomy fanes that men
With feeble hands have heaped, when round me surge
Cathedral mountains domed with snow, when on
Thy chanceled fields the vestal seasons keep
Their broidered altar-cloths, when dusk and dawn
The cataracts are thundering thy praise,
And with the rock-wrought organ's peal entwines
A choral strain where templed forests raise
Aeolian branches to the quiring winds?

RIPPLING RHYMES.

THE HAS-BEENS.

I read the papers every day and oft encounter tales which show there's hope for every jay who in life's battle fails. I've just been reading of a gent who joined the has-been ranks at 50 years without a cent or credit at the banks. But undismayed he buckled down, refusing to be beat, and captured fortune and renown; he's now in Easy street. Men say that fellows down and out ne'er leave the rocky track, but facts will show, beyond a doubt, that has-beens do come back. I know, for I who write this rhyme, when 40-odd years old, was down and out, without a dime, my whiskers full of mold. By black disaster I was trounced until it jarred my spine; I was a failure so pronounced I didn't need a sign. And after I had soaked my coat, I said (at 43,) "I'll see if I can catch the goat that has escaped from me." I labored hard; I strained my dome to do my daily grind, until in triumph I came home, my billygoat behind. And any man who still has health may with the winners stack, and have a chance at fame and wealth—for has-beens do come back. WALT MASON.

Solomon's Wisdom.

[Chicago News:] Mamma: Don't you know that King Solomon said "Spare the rod and spoil the child?"

Little Leo: Yes; but he never said it until after he got so old his mother couldn't lick him.

Mother: My dear Percy, now that you've left college you must really begin looking for some sort of employment. Percy: Don't you think, mother, it would be more dignified to wait until the offers begin to come in?—[Dallas News.

PEN POINTS

BY THE STAFF.

Many a little shaver is a chip off the old block.

The press agents have not yet [illegible] Villa for three whole days now.

Some folks look on heaven as a place where a man has all the money he wants.

It is now possible to get [illegible] local stores as high as $35. But it is not elastic currency.

If you desire to bring happiness to your home carry the package under the arm instead of the vest.

There are folks in this world who would be well thought of if they did not [illegible] upon wearing white spats.

It is now hinted that Bulgaria is suffering from an attack of cold feet. But the report bears a London date line.

How would a prize fight between Villa and Wilson, each having a [illegible] his glove, draw on the Chamisal?

It is hard lines in the Carranza trenches when the wind is blowing in the direction of Gum-shoe Bill Stone.

One of the best ways to prepare for a long journey is to make a number of short ones. The birds do it; why shouldn't we?

The allies have been offered the aid of 20,000 men by Li Ji Yan. The only tentate to be heard from now is Ahkoond of Swat.

Sending valentines to members of Congress to boost the female suffrage bill looks like the infliction of unusual and cruel punishment.

A local woman wants a divorce because she claims her husband has been a [illegible] ard for thirty-five years. She is afraid will become a habit.

It would be too bad if there is a shortage of varnish following the close of the war. Something will be needed to veneer various Old World Cabinets.

There is one need of the navy that Secretary Daniels could only supply by [illegible] nation. But that is too much to ask of the North Carolina editor.

It is now possible to send a letter to British Guiana for 2 cents, that is provided you have any friends or creditors in British Guiana that you care to communicate with.

It is claimed that Tex Richard will lose $110,000 for the Willard-Moran fight. But as Tex owns a cattle business in Argentina there is more or less bull in the deal.

What we ought to have in this land of the free is a national defense strong enough to cover every American citizen, no matter where he is located on the habitable globe.

Inaugural balls will be resumed in March. Everybody will feel so happy over the return of Republican prosperity and good cheer that they will want to dance.

When we get right down to cases there are many wives in this world who are perfectly justified in nagging, or doing something else to indicate their displeasure.

The steel manufacturers appear to be terribly pinched just now because they do not take all of the orders that are offered them. In that light they are looking for a lot of money.

If there is anything more disgusting than the movies than to see a woman smoke a cigarette we should like to know what it is. Could not the fashionable type be developed without the cigarette?

Col. E. M. House is out in an interview defending the foreign policy of President Wilson, which is very kind of the colonel seeing that he is doing a lot of gallivanting at the public expense.

And there was the old-fashioned father who, when he used to whip his boy, always insisted that it hurt him worse than it did his offspring. Imagine he never heard of Watts.

Admiral Dewey says that the navy of the United States ought ultimately to be the equal of the most powerful [illegible] any nation in the world. And nobody will accuse Dewey of being a theorist.

We take it that wives should be [illegible] occasionally, that is, if your husbands are confined to your own wits. That is a great indoor sport in which it is not safe to wander from your own fireside.

It is figured out that Americans pay $1,000,000 a year for music in one form or another. Music has a healing influence to perform for tired bodies and [illegible] perated souls. The price is none too high.

No wonder Col. Bryan is opposed to the increased army, seeing that a year ago he was colonel of a Nebraska regiment [illegible] the Spanish-American War. And the only warlike thing he did was to [illegible] horse at Tampa.

THE WOODS IN WINTER.

There is a wonder in the whiter woods
A subtile, all-elusive mystery
That haunts each placid glen where [illegible]
broods
And wooes each whited vale with [illegible]
A certain cosmic harmony prevails.
A symphony that holds the inner ear.
Before whose spell all human [illegible]
As fades the glory of the dying year.
There is no lyric beauty known to men
So near the grandeur of the [illegible]
As this faint concord of the [illegible]
In mystic rhythm, the [illegible]
among;
And lo! with magic [illegible]
and fen,
We glimpse Nirvana [illegible]
men!

—[R. R. Greenwood, in [illegible]

With a Cheer.

WORKERS RALL FOR BIG FUN

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All appeared to be having the time of their lives, and if the confidence displayed this present is a criterion, the result of the expected $1,000,000 should prove difficult. The primary object of the rally dinner was to give the workers of the volunteer corps, namely, the business men, women alumni and students, final instructions, and to have them select lists of prospective givers. Between the college yells of the alumni and students, the cheers of the business men, and the applause by the women this was finally accomplished.

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Other speakers then explained that the money obtained is to be used for buildings, equipment, and an endowment fund. Seven-tenths of the whole sum will be placed in an endowment fund. A girl's dormitory, library, gymnasium, and enlarged athletic field will be constructed.

While the speeches were in progress, the enthusiasm was slowly but surely fermenting. As the last speaker concluded, E. G. Judah, president of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association, and captain of one of the teams, jumped to his feet and made the startling announcement that A. [illegible] Benson, general manager of the Pacific Railways Advertising Company, and a private in Mr. Judah's squad, had volunteered to have the campaign placard placed in the 1000 street cars in which his company owns the advertising rights, free of charge. This act is considered to be worth many dollars by the Executive Committee.

MUST MOVE ON.

Nat Nettleton, William Arthur and James Ford, the trio of men of leisure who were arrested on suspicion of having attempted to bunco Otis Jansen, an Iowa farmer, out of $10,000, were re-arrested yesterday on a charge of vagrancy and locked in the City Jail. The men will be ordered to leave the city. The Jansen case was thrown out of court because of lack of evidence.

Tenta

STOCK TRUSTE UNION

A PROJECT is in process of development for doing away with the holding companies of Union Oil and giving the stockholders of the company at large increased representation in the control of the policies of the corporation, according to an announcement made last night by Lyman Stewart, chairman of the board of directors. This project contemplates the organization of a board of control composed of nine men, who will represent a majority of the stock holdings of the company, and nominate the members of its directorate.

A number of the leading stockholders of the company have been conferred with, and holders of about 100,000 shares have signified their intention of becoming parties to the plan, according to Mr. Stewart. This represents about 30 per cent. of the total stock of the company, amounting to $40,000 shares, which also in-

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"Six weeks ago I would not have believed it possible that such a representative group of men and women could be gathered to make education what it should be in Southern California," Dr. Baer said. "We have a splendid college at the present moment. At present we have three students who won Rhodes scholarships, and who may be termed a standard collegian.

"At present there is not a cent of indebtedness against the college. But with this $1,000,000 we can put Los Angeles on the educational map. Do you realize that now our tuition is $156 per year per student? And it costs the college $156 per year to educate each student. But when, and it must be unless we have a larger endowment, it is decided to raise the tuition fee, and push out some strong, clean youth who wants education, and who is entitled to it, you can have my job. Beginning Wednesday we are all going to try to make Occidental what Los Angeles wants it to be, and in the language of the campus, 'It's up to us.'"

Other speakers then explained that the money obtained is to be used for buildings, equipment, and an endowment fund. Seven-tenths of the whole sum will be placed in an endowment fund. A girl's dormitory, library, gymnasium, and enlarged athletic field will be constructed.

While the speeches were in progress the enthusiasm was slowly but surely fermenting. As the last speaker concluded, E. G. Judah, president of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association, and captain of one of the teams, jumped to his feet and made the startling announcement that A. L. Haugh, general manager of the Pacific Railways Advertising Company, and a private in Mr. Judah's squad, had volunteered to have the Occidental placard placed in the 1000 street cars in which his company sells the advertising rights, free of charge. This act is considered to be worth many dollars by the Executive Committee.

MUST MOVE ON.

Nat Nettleton, William Arthur and James Ford, the trio of men of leisure who were arrested on suspicion of having attempted to bunco Otis Mason, an Iowa farmer, out of $10,-000, were re-arrested yesterday on a charge of vagrancy and locked in the City Jail. The men will be ordered to leave the city. The Jansen case was thrown out of court because of lack of evidence.

Tentative.

STOCK TRUSTEESHIP IN UNION OIL PLANNED.

A PROJECT is in process of development for doing away with the holding companies of Union Oil and giving the stockholders of the company at large increased representation in the control of the policies of the corporation, according to an announcement made last night by Lyman Stewart, chairman of the board of directors. This project contemplates the organization of a board of control composed of nine men, who will represent a majority of the actual holdings of the company, and eliminate the members of its directorate.

A number of the leading stockholders of the company have been conferred with, and holders of about 25,000 shares have signified their intention of becoming parties to the agreement to Mr. Stewart. This would mean 30 per cent. of the capital stock of the company, amounting to 300,000 shares, which also includes the issues of United Petroleum and Union Provident, the two holding companies.

After it has been made clear that the holders of a majority of the stock of the Union Oil Company will consent to the trusteeship, implied in the board of control, a number of leading stockholders and the present management of the Union Oil will proceed to nominate twenty-five men, from whom a selection of nine members to act on the board of control will be made by the stockholders at large. This board of control will be elected for a period of seven years, according to the plans now proposed.

"The sale of stock to Andrew Weir and his English associates caused the dissipation of the absolute control of the Union Oil Company, through the holding concerns," said Mr. Stewart. "Consequently we have recognized for a year or more that some means would have to be taken to insure this control, and this has resulted in the present plan for the creation of a trusteeship."

Near Riot.

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taken downstairs and with several guests watching from a safe distance the reptiles were dropped one by one into the tank.

Accounts of what followed vary. But after the commotion died away orders were issued that henceforth forever hotel gold fish and hotel alligators shall be kept in separate tanks.

Until a suitable pen is built for the gators, which Mr. Sibbald says will never occur if he can prevent, the alligators will remain in the custody of Chief Porter Laribee in his back yard in the suburbs.

DEATH THE VICTOR.

The story of a poor consumptive woman who lost her homestead of 300 acres of land in the vicinity of Victorville was told in a case decided yesterday by Register Roche and Receiver Mitchell. The woman, whose right to the land was successfully contested by Frank A. Freeze, was Miss Mamie Labold. The contestant alleged that she had defaulted in making her third annual proof and the contention was sustained by the land officials. She had submitted two such proofs, but became ill, and all her money had to go for treatment and medicine. A large expenditure for well casing that she had made went for nothing because it was unattached. Miss Labold has died since the case was submitted.

Proposal.

WANT NEW FINANCE SCHEME FOR CITY.

CITIZENS FOR PROGRAMME PUT BEFORE MASS MEETING.

Unanimous Indorsement Given Resolution that Calls for Immense Revolving Fund to Meet Cost of Public Improvements and do Away with Special Assessments.

Resolutions favoring the creation of an immense revolving fund for the use of the city in financing various needed municipal improvements were adopted last night at a mass meeting called by the North, East and West Improvement Association. The meeting, held in Temperance Temple, was attended by more than 300 citizens and the resolution, presented by R. W. Kelly, was adopted without opposition.

In presenting the question Mr. Kelly said that through the faulty system of financing street improvement work the cost is double the amount necessary and, furthermore, the city taxes are increased by the high cost of maintenance, due to inferior construction. He cited general opposition to the special assessment system and asserted the present and proposed bond issues, with the interest, promise to add greatly to city expenditures, with little prospect for increased income.

The Bunker Hill open cut and the opening of Broadway were cited as important among the big projects that will be facilitated by adoption of the plan proposed in the resolution, and Mr. Kelly asserted that if these and other improvements are made by means of a revolving fund and the work is done by the city under a plan similar to that employed in building the aqueduct, the contractors' profits may be eliminated and the bills may be payable in twenty to eighty annual installments.

It was pointed out that inasmuch as the power companies have offered to pay the city $1,000,000 a year for the power output from the municipal power plant, this would afford a practical foundation for the revolving fund.

The resolution sets forth that owing to the great cost of constructing a duplicate electrical distributing system at this time, when materials for such a system will cost 150 per cent. above normal prices, the programme is an "inexcusable blunder."

"It is the sense of this meeting," the resolution says, "that an equitable arrangement should be effected for the sale of electrical energy on short-time contracts to the present public utility companies and that when this contract is executed, all condemnation proceedings be deferred during the life of said contract, thereby eliminating unnecessary expense and bond issues."

The resolution calls attention to the fact that an equitable and satisfactory contract is now in effect, whereby the Pacific Electric is operating a section of the Municipal Railway, and a similar arrangement is being considered whereby the Los Angeles Railway Corporation will operate lines that will soon become municipal property through expiration of franchises.

Copies of the resolution will be sent to the City Council, the Chamber of Commerce, Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association, the Federated Improvement Association and other civic organizations.

HEAR ABOUT PLAYGROUNDS.

The members of the County Osteopathic Society held their regular monthly meeting last night at the Hollenbeck. Dr. R. W. Bowling presided at the dinner preceding the meeting. More than seventy-five members were on hand. C. B. Raitt, superintendent of the Los Angeles Playground Commission, delivered an illustrated address on local playgrounds. The reports of various committees were heard and plans discussed for the participation of the society in the coming baby show.

TRAINS TO RUN NEXT SATURDAY.

Santa Fe Announces Date for Resumption of Service to San Diego.

Traffic on the Santa Fe line between Los Angeles and San Diego, which has been suspended since January 26, as a result of damage caused by the recent rain and wind storms, will be resumed Saturday, according to a statement given out yesterday by the railroad officials.

This is the first time since 1889 that any of the Santa Fe lines have been out of commission for such a long period. Hundreds of men have been working night and day repairing damage caused by the washouts at several places.

The suspension of traffic made it necessary for the officials to ship by boat all the freight handled by the railroad between the two cities.

Builder Gone.

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wife and she is still confined to her room."

HAS A COMPANION?

Whether or not the missing contractor is alone or has a companion could not be definitely learned. He is known to have been frequently in the company of a handsome cabaret singer. She is also missing from her usual haunts, her friends admitted last night.

Yesterday Mrs. Gilbreth, the mother, stated that it is her opinion that her son would, as soon as he realized his condition, return to the city, make restitution and endeavor to right himself with his business associates. She pointed out that within a few months his share of the profits of the firm would have amounted to much more than the sum he took when he left the city. The mother looks on the affair as a case of too much worry.

Sixty-day.

TO INSPECT OUR SCHOOLS.

Board of Education to Ask Heads of Columbia and Chicago Universities to Name Three Educators to Conduct a Survey Here.

A resolution was passed last night by the Board of Education, whereby an invitation will be extended to President Butler of Columbia University and President Judson of Chicago University to select three disinterested and prominent educators to make a thorough examination of the fundamental principles of the Los Angeles system of public school education. This survey will begin as soon as the three have been selected and is expected to continue approximately sixty days. The investigators will be compensated at the rate of $1500 apiece and their expenses paid.

According to a report submitted by the Teachers and Schools Committee, there are approximately 14,000 students enrolled in the city high schools, both day and evening. This shows a marked increase over last year's numbers. Incidentally, the report recommended an additional but temporary building in Hollywood, as the High School there is overcrowded.

The Easter vacation this year will commence April 14 and will continue until April 24.

A petition presented by the Pasadena Tournament of Roses Association to have the high schools granted a half-holiday the 22nd inst., so that the students might participate in the field sports in Pasadena, was denied. However, if any local High School athlete desires to take part, he will be allowed to do so by the superintendents, providing his scholastic standing warrants his absence.

Y.W.C.A. PIONEERS' DAY.

Celebration will be Held in Honor of Association Founders.

An afternoon and evening reception to Miss Cora L. Tatham, former general secretary of the Young Women's Christian Association, who has returned to make her home in Los Angeles, will be an important feature of the celebration in honor of pioneers, to be held Friday, the 18th inst.

A committee of pioneers, consisting of Mrs. A. K. Smale, Mrs. Z. D. Mathuss, Mrs. E. R. Smith, Mrs. Margaret Henderson Dewey, and Miss Alice Gastren, has the arrangements in hand. Talks, reminiscent in nature, will be given in the afternoon by Mrs. L. A. Ross, a member of the board of managers since 1893, and Miss Clara Hull, in whose home the association was organized, Mrs. Mathuss, first president, presiding.

Mrs. Fred Bacon (Miss Aroline Ellis of early association days) will sing in the afternoon, and Mrs. J. T. Newkirk and Miss Helen Shields will sing in the evening.

Three of the four presidents of the association, Mrs. W. J. Hole, Mrs. D. K. Edwards and Mrs. Z. D. Mathuss, will take part in the reunion of old friends who have had a part in the remarkable growth of the association during its twenty-three years of organization.

An invitation has been extended to all members of the association to participate in the festivities incident to honoring the pioneers.

UNDER THE BLUE SKY.

Ad Men will Hear What has been Accomplished with the Law.

At the Ad Club's luncheon at noon today, H. L. Carnahan, State Commissioner of Corporations, will talk on what the blue sky law has accomplished, and "How to enforce the truthful advertising law" will be the subject of an address by City Prosecutor Williams. Rev. George B. Taubman of Long Beach will tell some good stories in his speech on "Ethics and Ideals in Business." Other speakers will be Arthur J. Abbott, author of the truthful advertising law; John S. Mitchell, president-elect of the Chamber of Commerce; E. G. Judah, president of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association, and J. Harry Pieper.

The Ad Club also will entertain a new Los Angeles star at its luncheon in Miss Carroll McComas, leading lady in the new Morosco war play, "Inside the Lines." Miss McComas has boosted Los Angeles as few women have, and her talk to the Ad Men will be on the subject of "Letting the Public Know." Miss McComas first started out in the theatrical profession as a whistler, and has consented to whistle some of the tunes that made royalty applaud.

The composer of the music for that good production, "So Long Letty," Earl Carroll, will sing several of his own songs. In all probability Mr. Carroll will also sing one of his catchy songs for the new production, "Canary Cottage."

The chairman of the day will be William C. Kottemann, professor of accounting in the Southwestern University.

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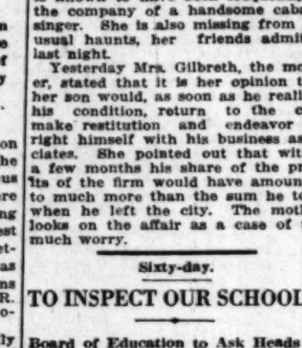

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Dainty Slips

For girls of 12 to 16 years; slips of nainsook, lawn flounce, tucks and Valenciennes lace; regularly $1.50—$1.00.

Embroidery trimmed; reg. $1.75 ..... $1.25

Empire waist of insertion and ribbon; regularly $2.50—$1.75.

Empire waist of allover Swiss embroidery; reg. $5—$3.50.

Of lawn; lace trimmed; sizes 12 to 14 years only; reg. $2.50, to close.... $1.00

Knickerbocker Drawers

4 to 14 years; of heavy cambric; beading and ribbon; reg. 50c, now..... 35c

10 to 12 year sizes; knickerbockers of muslin; Valenciennes lace, Swiss embroidery insertion; reg. 50c, now—35c.

Skirts With Waists

Of cambric, with lawn flounce; narrow tucks and hemstitching; 2 to 7 year sizes only; reg. 65c, to close out this line 35c

With cambric flounce of tucks and embroidery; 2 to 7 year sizes; reg. 75c.... 35c

With lawn flounce, tucks and embroidery; 2 to 7 year sizes; regularly $1 and $1.25, to close 50c

Knickerbockers

Of cambric; lawn ruffle; lace insertion and edge or Swiss embroidery ruffle; reg. 75c 50c

Of nainsook; embroidery beading and ribbon; 8 to 12-year sizes; reg. $1..... 75c

Drawers

8 to 12-year sizes; Torchon lace or plain hemstitched ruffle; or knickerbocker, lace trimmed; reg. 35c..... 25c

(Undermuslins; Second Floor)

Girls' Slips

Of nainsook; flounce of wide insertion, Swiss embroidery, edging and ribbon; 12 to 14-year sizes; reg. $2.50, now $1.75

Of nainsook; German Valenciennes lace, insertion and Swiss embroidery medallions; reg. $3.50..... $2.75

In 16 and 18-year sizes; reg. $6 ..... $3.00

Of nainsook; elaborately trimmed with lace and ribbon; 14 to 18-year sizes; reg. $8, to close..... $4.00

Girls' Gowns

Of cambric; lace trimmed and plain band; 4 to 7-year sizes only; reg. 75c, to close—35c.

Of cambric and nainsook; embroidery and lace trimmed; 7 to 9-year sizes; reg. $1 to $1.25, now..... 50c

7 to 14 years; reg. $1.50 to $1.75, now 75c

The Vogue for Black and White in Silks and Woolens Is Very Marked

36-inch Black and White Plaid Taffetas, $1.75 and $2.00

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Are prominently shown—large blocks, small checks, stripes in colors that are new and fashionable; illuminated checks in black and white, overlaid with colored bars in red, blue, green and black, are extremely novel and highly stylish, 54 inches wide, $2.00.

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(Woolens; Broadway Annex)

54-inch Black and White Illuminated Checks in Wools, $2

Among the New Silks

there are yard-wide colored stripe taffetas, at $1.25 and higher; plaid taffetas at $1.50 and $2; plaid gros de Londres at $2; plain failles at $1.50 to $3; 36 and 40-inch plain chiffon taffetas at $1.25 to $2; wash satins in plain colors, $1.50; new Georgette crepes at $1.50; handsome wide silk voiles at $1.50; Madonna crepes at $2; satin striped Marquisettes at $1.50; the wonderful Radiant Merveilleux at $1.75; satin de luxe at $1.50, and satin messalines at $1.00.

(Silks; Broadway Annex)

Spring Models in La Grecque Corsets

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—a complete line—B. & J., W. B., De Bevoise and A. P. brands, from 50c to $5.00.

At 50c—a choice assortment, trimmed with lace or embroidery.

(Corsets; Second Floor)

Notions at Savings Today

Dress Belting — Black or white; 1½, 2, 2½ and 3-inch widths; reg. 10c, 12½c and 15c, now 7½c, 10c (3 yds. for 25c) and 12½c, or two for 25c.

Skirt Bonings—all the different ones for new skirts; 10c and 15c.

Dress Shields — sizes 2, 3 and 4; reg. 20c, 25c and 30c, now 20c, three for 50c.

(Notions; South Aisle)

Silver Table Accessories 39c and 79c

A clearance, of course, for such articles cannot ordinarily be purchased at anything like such little prices.

Vases, salt and pepper sets, 3-bottle castors, butter tubs and picks, food pusher sets, napkin rings, sugar baskets, sugar shakers, mustard cups, candlesticks with shades, and many similar articles; all in two groups.

(Silverware; South Aisle)

New Bags

So many women want the flat envelope bag nowadays—we have plenty of them, just like the illustration, and in other smart sizes and styles; daintily fitted, beautifully silk lined and made of genuine leathers—goat seal and crepe seal grain, pin seal or Vachette, at $3 and $4.

Others, from $3.50 to $7, comprise novelties that you would hardly expect to secure for so little.

(Leather Goods; Main Floor)

Two Weeks of Clearing Out All Odd Numbers in Good Knitwear

The penalty a good store always pays for being popular, is a steady accumulation of odd sizes and single articles of a weight or quality. Only one thing can be done—to sell these "oddments" for whatever they will bring; we propose to devote the two remaining weeks of February to a clearance of silk-and-wool, part wool, wool and fleece-lined vests, pants and union suits; also odd summer garments.

Reductions will average a third; but remember this, we have only sizes 4 and 5, and extra sizes, in the lot; please don't come expecting any others.

Garments now selling at $1, $1.25, $1.75, $2 and $2.75 will be offered, until stocks are again straightened out, at 65c, 75c, $1.25, $1.35 and $2.00 each.

(Knit Underwear; South Aisle)

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Life's Gentler Side—Society, Music, Song and the Dance—The Theater

SOCIETY.

INVITATIONS are shortly to be issued for the Bachelor's Ball — at least, March 6 has been set apart for the fancy costume ball at the Hotel Alexandria. And it is becoming the one sole topic of gossip over the 5 o'clock tea.

There has never been anything on the social calendar comparable to the coming event, so Dame Rumor whispered yesterday. And even then some of the girls were busy over plans for original dress.

The board of governors are George Ennis, a charter member; William Kay Crawford, president; John C. MacFarland, secretary; Henry Daly, treasurer; Donald O'Melveny, Charles Seyler, Charles Sheedy, Gurney E. Newlin, Maynard McFie, Roy E. Naftzger, Alan Evans Morphy and William R. Millar, and these princely entertainers are carefully preparing all details incidental to their yearly society contribution.

This will be the eleventh party, and some of the original members who are still on the rolls are: J. B. Banning, Capt. William Banning, Winthrop Blackstone, W. Norris Bucklin, Carleton Burke, Mac Blankenhorn, David Brant, Morris Cadwalader, Bert Campbell, Power Conway, Robert Craig, William Kay Crawford, Henry Daly, Richard Dillon, Garrettson Dulin, Brant Elliott, John M. Elliott, Jr., George H. Ennis, Richard Garvey, Charles Hastings, Charles Henderson, Norwood Howard, Paul Hammond, Robert Harrington, Clinton Judy, Elmer L. Jones, Walter Kays, Karl Klokke, Bradner W. Lee, Jr., John Llewellyn, Reese Llewellyn, Joe Marsh, Alan E. Morphy, Alex MacDonald, John C. MacFarland, Chester Moore, Bruce Macneil, William R. Millar, Wells Morris, Maynard McFie, Roy Naftzger, Gurney Newlin, Henry Nutt, Donald O'Melveny, John Rankin, Adolph Schwartz, Frank G. Schumacher, Charles Seyler, James Slauson, Mark H. Slosson, Charles Sheedy, Stuart Salisbury, Olin Wellborn, Jr., J. W. Wilkinson, Weston Wilson and Claire Woolwine.

For Miss Miller.

Miss Phila Miller was honoree last night at a large dancing party given by Mr. and Mrs. James Calhoun Drake, who were assisted in receiving by their daughter and son-in-law, the Sayre Macmillan. Over 200 guests attended, the entire lower floor being utilized for the dance. Hearts and diminutive Cupids lent a valentine air to this, one of the prettiest parties of the season. There were no assistants, the happening being stamped by its charming lack of formality.

Miss Miller, it will be recalled, was one of Miss Daphne Drake's attendants when the latter became the bride of Mr. Macneil, the families having been close friends for many years.

Preceding the dance there were several smart dinner parties, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jewett Schweppe having as guests at their home, No. 610 South Gramercy place, Mr. and Mrs. William S. Hook, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Russell McDonald Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Sydney I. Wallis, Mr. and Mrs. William May Garland, William Kay Crawford and Gurney E. Newlin. The table was centered with a marble font with white birds of spring, and white hyacinths and pink orchid-cyclamen on a mass of wild fern fronds, bordered with smaller holders containing spring flowers and white iris. The lights were subdued with delicate pink-white shades, and leaf-green satin streamers completed the decoration.

Mr. and Mrs. James Rathwell Page had for dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. George J. Denis, Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Bryant, Mr. and Mrs. Michael J. Connell, Capt. and Mrs. Randolph Huntington Miner, Mr. and Mrs. Allan C. Balch and George Ennis. The table was beautiful with long sprays of almond, peach and apple blossoms.

Extended beds of pink roses were chosen by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Carlton Lee for their dinner, where covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. E. Avery McCarthy and Mr. and Mrs. Leo St. Clair Chandler and the hosts, the party joining the Drake guests later.

Dr. and Mrs. Bertnard Smith also had guests.

Country Club Hostesses.

Mrs. Lucien N. Brunswig, with Mrs. Henry O'Melveny and Mrs. Mary Wilcox Longstreet, are to be hostesses at the Los Angeles Country Club bimonthly dinner following this week's affair—an eagerly anticipated event of tomorrow night. The ladies will each be hostess to a group of dinner guests.

Coming Carnival.

One by one the details are being perfected for the coming Allies Carnival, of which Mrs. John Percival Jones is president, Mrs. Hancock Banning, Mrs. Lucien Brunswig, Mrs. William A. Edwards, Mrs. George Fusenot, Mrs. Potts and Miss Fox assisting her, together with a long list of patronesses who represent a veritable blue book of Southern California. A meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Jones yesterday afternoon, and plans discussed for the cabaret dinner to be served both evenings to the accompaniment of exhibitions of the newest dances, the last word in songs and music and other artistic offerings. The inner man may be fed and charity benefited by a wonderful table d'hote dinner for the modest price of $1. The tableaux are to be groups of war pictures realistically portrayed, under the supervision of Alfred Allen, who has arranged for the various European nationalities, showing soldiers in drill, on the battlefield and wounded, and ladies who have figured prominently in history's pages of the time of the French revolution—Marie Antoinette, Charlotte Cordav and dignified court ladies are to be depicted. Mrs. Brunswig, Mrs. Jones, Mrs. Miner and Mrs. Edwards are in charge of this booth.

Valentine Cotillion.

Last evening, in response to invitations issued by Mrs. Vernon Herron of the Formosa apartments, Hollywood, a large assemblage enjoyed a cotillion and Valentine party, with decorations in red and white, and innumerable clever surprises in favors and figures. The cotillion was led by Miss Hope Loring of New York and H. Weimar Wilton. Miss Loring, who originated the fox trot, which has become internationally popular, and who specializes in impromptu improvisations, dedicated the Formosa frolic upon the occasion.

Compliment to Miss McComas.

Old friends and schoolmates of Miss Carroll McComas were entertained by that young lady's parents, former Judge and Mrs. C. C. McComas, with a box party at the Morosco Theater last night, followed by supper at the Alexandria, the guests witnessing Miss McComas as leading woman in "Inside the Lines." This was the first of a series of functions which Mr. and Mrs. McComas are planning during their daughter's visit, and was enjoyed by Mrs. Frederick Shaff of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. M. Henion Robinson, John Emerson, Mrs. Charles P. Gray of New York, Mr. and Mrs. Burton Dyer, Mr. and Mrs. Norman C. Robinson, Messrs. A. Swartz and John Stockman.

In Valentine Embellishments.

A Valentine bridge luncheon was the pretty mode of entertainment Mrs. Randolph Carter offered on Friday, those bidden including Mrs. Jasper Crandall, Mrs. Harry Moore, Mrs. Robert Burns, Mrs. Fred Small, Mrs. F. H. Small, Mrs. Albert Mortensen, Mrs. Thomas L. Inch, Mrs. Marxmiller, Mrs. John Wilsey, Mrs. Benjamin McCausland, Mrs. Ross McCausland, Mrs. Frazier, Mrs. F. C. Langdon, Mrs. J. E. Carter, Jr., Mrs. C. L. Peck, Mrs. David Bradley, Mrs. A. P. Wilson, Mrs. A. W. Fisher, Mrs. L. H. Valentine, Mrs. Oscar Roberts, Mrs. R. L. Byron, Mrs. James Pierre Baldwin, Mrs. Henry Schoenfeld, Mrs. Nicholas Milbank, Mrs. George Kothe, Mrs. W. McClellan, Jr., Mrs. Macaulay, Mrs. Wren, Mrs. Nixon, Miss Addie Gillett, Miss Florence Moore, Miss Ammerman and Miss Lane. High scores were made by Mrs. Peck, Miss Moore and Mrs. Inch, a tiny flesh-and-blood Cupid, cunningly impersonated by Master Kenneth Carter, awarding the pretty favors. Mrs. Fred Small, in vocal selections, gave added enjoyment.

Natal Surprise Celebration.

In honor of the eighteenth birthday of their daughter, Miss Marie F. Secrist, Mr. and Mrs. E. Secrist of No. 215 East Fifty-fifth street entertained with a surprise party on Friday evening.

Miss Secrist, who is a student of Manual Arts High School, holds a record for perfect attendance, and it was with pride that her fellow-students and classmates enjoyed the surprise.

Among those present were Miss Mable Manning, Paul Anderson, Miss Francis Cooley, Letha and Erroll Barnes, Lovie Cropp and Miss Fulton.

The house was decorated with all the fancies of St. Valentine. The party spent the evening with games, after which an appetizing repast was served.

Leap Year Party.

A party particularly engrossing to Hollywood will be the leap year ball to be given at the Hollywood Woman's Club Friday evening, the 18th inst. Everything is to be reversed from the usual order, the gentlemen having charge of the music, decorations and refreshments, though forbidden to dance unless invited by a lady (under penalty of 25 cents.) The decorations will carry out the Valentine idea.

On the committee are Messrs. J. B. Roberts, R. B. Lane, R. M. Burdick, Chester Hoag, Lewis B. Wood, A. J. Witherall and Edward Winterer, who will also act as hosts and receive their guests, as well as providing for their comforts and pleasure. It is to be full dress, and promises to be the event of the spring, with several dinner parties given in private homes preceding.

It is for all club members and their friends.

At Hotel Virginia.

Among the winter residents at the Hotel Virginia are Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wing of Detroit, and their son, J. T. Wing, Jr. The Wings are well known in Detroit society, and have many friends at the beach, where they are domiciled.

Mrs. Jean Baxter, wife of Capt. Baxter, who is at the Texas border with the army, spent the last weekend at Arrowhead. Mrs. Baxter and her little son, Jere, are residing at the Hotel Virginia for the winter.

DRAMA.

Mason.

THIRD ACT SAVES IT.

BEGINNING OF "TWIN BEDS" DULL BUT END IS LIVELY.

By Henry Christeen Warnack.

"Twin Beds" at the Mason this week enjoys the reputation of being a show to which you would not take your wife's mother. This means full houses and many laughs.

You wait until the third act for a smile that is not forced. Until that time the movement is tedious, if not actually painful. It keeps promising something that never happens and you are on the point of deciding that you are not going to be as shocked as you thought you would be—and you know you wouldn't [illegible] started.

If you pay $1.50 for thin ice, you want some skating for your money and you want to go fast with a feeling that you may, at any minute, break through.

"Twin Beds" is all noise the first two acts, with not enough meat to make a one-act Orpheum sketch, but in act three it arrives with thunderous acclaim, whatever that is.

It finishes with a bang, the explosion being the impact of the two twin beds when they are thrown together in order that there may be no future mistakes. They are made to look as much as possible like the good old-fashioned four-poster, so that a wife may know where her husband is at night and just who is in the room with her during that silent vigil.

Twin beds would be all right for twins, but are errors in matrimony—such seems to be the moral of this flamboyant farce.

Down under its nonsense is a faithful caricature of the little flirt who torments her husband by making eyes at every other man she meets and the further solemn assurance that you cannot run away from yourself or your kind by changing domiciles and not reforming your own nature. The story also suggests that it is better to dwell in the bungalows of righteousness and privacy than to live in the flats of the wicked forever.

QUITE A TANGLE.

In the play the wife who is a flirt wakes up in the morning to find that she has one woman's husband locked up in a closet and another at rest in the linen chest, without having the slightest design on either. There is nothing startlingly new about any of this, but it is always extremely amusing. It is broadly farcical as to situation and not overly bright in lines.

All of the acting is passable and some of it meritorious. P. Paul Porcasi as the Italian tenor and Marian Lord in the role of his wife are hilarious good fun. Juliette Day is an exquisite little flirt who laughs as long as she can have her way, cries when she is crossed and faints when in danger of being found out. She whirls through her part with grace. Eleanor Wilton is an Irish maid of high comedy quality.

"Twin Beds" is not as naughty as its reputation might lead one to suspect, but is sufficiently deficient in reserve to attract the public.

Back Again.

DANCING ACT CLASSY.

ROCK AND WHITE ARE WINNERS WITH LIGHT FANTASTIC.

By Grace Kingsley.

We don't know what Evelyn Nesbit and Jack Clifford might have done for us at the Orpheum, yesterday, but we do know that Billie Rock and Frances White put over one of the classiest vaudeville acts which has been viewed in quite some time. Miss White has developed her dancing powers amazingly since last seen here. She will soon be in the "wiz" class.

The pair give half a dozen "character" dances, showing much variety of idea as well as some novel steps.

Billie is seen as a Paris roue, as a Bowery tough, as a longshoreman, and Miss White does impersonations to match. The two finish with Mr. Rock wearing the "moonlights," and Miss White in a Valeska Surratt make-up, even to the hair (which latter, by the way, is much more becoming to Miss White than to Miss Surratt,) dancing the mazurka, the minuet (a la Rock,) the maxixe and the tango. They finish with a Barbary Coast one-step.

An ovation rewarded their efforts. Their accompanist deserves special mention, too.

That "Bachelor Dinner" never gets eaten, thanks to many musical comedy complications of plot, arising from the fact that a young man about to be married receives visitations in his apartments with an awkward simultaneousness, from several chorus girls, some old chums, his father-in-law, his mamma-in-law, and his bride-to-be. The music of the act is very pleasing, and well sung by Shirley Wellen, Charles Vaughan, Jack Henry and the others.

Tuscano Brothers open the show with a highly spectacular and novel juggling act staged in a Roman Coliseum setting, wherein they do some picturesquely dangerous stunts with battle-axes, javelins and other hardware of war. They get lots of applause and deserve every bit of it.

Maj. Mack Rhoades is a youngster of 12, or thereabouts, who plays the violin with much precision, and all the expression that could be expected of a kid of his age. He led off with the barcarole from "The Love Tales of Hoffman," and finished with the "Blue Bells of Scotland."

Mae Francis has a very happy selection of songs and gowns this week, especially the "Siam" song. Eva Taylor and company repeat their triumph of last week in "Suspicious of Hubby." Mayo and Tally continue to amuse with their songs and dialogue and trick phonograph, as do also Ralph Dunbar's Singing Bell Ringers.

Recital.

MELODIES TELL STORY.

DUPUY PROGRAMME DEPICTS THE GROWTH OF FRENCH SONG.

By Edwin F. Schallert.

The historical development of French song was admirably portrayed in a well-selected programme presented by Joseph Pierre Dupuy in his annual recital featuring the musical compositions of the Gallic nation, given Friday evening at Gamut Club auditorium. From the realm of middle aged and renaissance music the audience was gradually brought up to the present day.

The earliest specimen of chanson was from the twelfth century, the "Merci Clamant" by Chatelin de Coucy, characterized like others of somewhat later date in the same group by all that old world charm and fragrance these fragments from France's past always retain in their ever-blessed measures.

Bergettes of Weckerlin there were too, a goodly number of them, and their tripping fancy is never aught but welcome. Afterward came the work of Auber, Bizet and Maillart; then Debussy, Hahn and Pessard. Despite the lapse of time something of that same spirit characterizing the earlier works is apparent in these, despite the changes in externals. France has ever been much the same at heart, in a way peculiarly her own.

Mr. Dupuy, who was fully attune to the possibilities of a programme of this character, was assisted by Maud Reeves-Barnard, mezzo soprano, heard with pleasure in "Printemps qui commence" from "Sampson and Delila" and the "Elegie" by Massenet, as well as a series of ensemble numbers, with Mr. Dupuy, and the Gamut Club's pleasing chorus, which was also heard alone in two numbers.

MacDowell Lecture Recital.

The genius of Edward MacDowell, ever replete with beauty and sincerity of intention, lives on in more ways than one of the upbuildment of artistic endeavor in American art. His compositions in themselves are a temple of achievement, wherein is enshrined a wealth of idea and simplicity of perception and expression, that will ever draw to the standard of music an increasing number of devotees in this country.

Second only to this, probably, is the artist's colony formed in the composer's former home at Peterborough, where those having creative talent may surrender themselves unhampered to the bidding of the muse, and which colony after arduous early struggles is now beginning to reap its share of success.

Something of this work, and also of the pageant held in Peterborough a year or so ago, was told of in Mrs. Edward MacDowell's lecture, to the accompaniment of the composer's own music, at Blanchard Hall last Friday afternoon. It was truly a fascination to follow with one who has been so closely associated with the great composer's ideas and ideals the unfolding of the view of these two things as expressed in the spirit of the work she is supervising, and in the music as well. We do not ask for external perfection in the delivery of a message such as this we ask for the message itself, and Mrs. MacDowell gives it adequately.

Big Opera Season Soon.

It is now assured that the Boston Opera Company and the Pavlowa Ballet Russe will play an engagement of a week in this city, beginning March 6. Arrangements have been made to secure the Burbank Theater, neither Clune's Auditorium nor the Mason being available for the week mentioned, the only one which the Rabinoff aggregations can give to this city. The Burbank ranks next to the other two theaters in seating capacity.

Upon finding it impossible to secure a large auditorium here, it was Mr. Rabinoff's original intention of filling in the period with an engagement in Salt Lake City, but this could not be arranged satisfactorily.

The repertoire of the Boston Opera Company contains as a novelty "L'Amore de Tre Rei," by Montemezzi, which has proved an unusual drawing magnet in eastern cities. The opera is said to be one of the most beautiful of recent Italian works. Aside from this the organization offers such popular attractions as "Mme. Butterfly," "I' Pagliacci," "La Boheme," "Rigoletto" and "Carmen." All of these are staged in sumptuous style, and with fine attention to details, it is stated.

The Pavlowa ballet has proved throughout the company's tour of the East an exceedingly alluring adjunct of the opera company. A number of new and beautiful offerings are included in the repertoire of this troupe.

Melba Recital at Beach.

Mme. Melba, famed soprano, is to give a recital at Long Beach Auditorium Saturday evening.

VARIETY SHOWS AND THE MOVIES.

Pantages.

There is lots of comedy and lots of melody at Pantages this week, but when the little sign flashes "G" and Bob Albright (alias "Oklahoma" Bob, alias "The Male Melba,") steps out singing the first line of "Norway," the programme stops in its tracks right there. The audience doesn't let it start again until Bob has sung half a dozen songs and the pianist has played his "company" pieces, and then Bob has to tell some new stories, give a dramatic recitation and sing another song before anyone else can walk into the spot. That's what Bob Albright gets for coming here again.

For a classy little musical comedy with lovely girls, good comedians and a pretty setting, "The Fashion Show" puts it over anything of the kind that has been seen here for many, many moons. Harry Watson as a chauffeur and Jere Delaney as an effete young movie star handle the comedy end, and a bevy of winsome "wrens" take care of the rest.

Bert Wiggins's "Fun on Jay Street" is hard to describe except by that overworked term, "novelty." He juggles "ventroquills" and fools around with the help of dummies, mechanical stuff in the special drop and a pretty girl assistant who pulls the strings from the rear, and somehow runs off with most of the laughs before the other acts get a chance at the audience.

The Standard Brothers, with their athletic balancing, show graceful and difficult phases of the art; Billie Seaton "recites" a lot of songs; "A Double's Double" is a clever farce of mistaken identity, and the ninth week of the exciting Red Circle film completes a dandy show.

Hippodrome.

Frescott, billed as "master mind of mental mysticism," lets you know what he means by his billing at the Hippodrome this week. He told pretty nearly everybody in the audience his or her right name yesterday, and gave other evidences of telepathic power.

The Hawaiian act in which Jack and Kittie Lee appear scored a hit with its pleasing settings and the native songs and dances.

Hall and Sharkey contribute a series of international dances; Charlie Reilly and his company scored in "Irish Hearts;" Engel and Marshall furnish a surprise, their unexpected finish being a sensation; Ling and Long have a skit full of song and melody; and Juno Salmo reported for the night show and performed his novel contortion act.

Republic.

A highly spectacular act is that of Phasma, the dancer who headlines the Republic bill this week. She presents some remarkably colorful and sensational dances.

The Nagyfys are billed as "human salamanders," and appear to be. They apparently dive through fire, and do other death-defying tricks.

Heron and Douglas have a dramatic skit, entitled "Birds of a Feather," which gets over well; Kimball and Kennett play the banjo pleasingly; Earl Mossman has a dancing act which revives soft-shoe prancing, and the Rozalles have an acrobatic turn of merit.

Tally's Broadway.

It is seldom that screen acting, with its limitations regarding the spoken word, inflection of voice, sustained dramatic effort, etc., reaches the height of reality to truly strike deep at the sympathies of an audience. But Dorothy Donnelly is achieving just this in the courtroom scene of the film version of "Madame X" at Tally's Broadway this week.

Miss Donnelly's physical transition from beauty and youth to mental and spiritual degradation as depicted in face and carriage, is an artistic triumph in itself. And there is subtly portrayed, just as in the stage version, a last pitiful clinging to ideals and truth, the convincing impression conveyed that she is merely the plaything of fate.

"Madame X," in Dorothy Donnelly's hands, is truly a great screen play.

Strange Echo

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Mrs. Bertha Lewis is a [illegible] public schools of Dorr[illegible] that city. Mr. Lewis was [illegible] principal of a near-by [illegible] mother, who lives there, is [illegible] ill and has not been informed [illegible] son's death.

Up to last evening, Mrs. Lewis [illegible] she knew nothing of the [illegible] ter. She added that she had told her husband if they were [illegible] a divorce he must get it [illegible] she did not believe in [illegible] tions. His death she would [illegible] cuss except to say:

"I have a claim and will force it."

EXHIBIT OF ETCHINGS

During the first and second [illegible] in March the collection of [illegible] etchings and wood block prints [illegible] were a feature of the art [illegible] the Panama-Pacific Exposition [illegible] shown at the gallery of the [illegible] of fine arts, University of [illegible] California, No. 201 North [illegible] The exhibition will be open [illegible] public, and all interested persons [illegible] cordially invited to see it. Dean [illegible] son of the college has announced [illegible] arrangement whereby many important works of art will be shown at the museum in Golden Gate Park will afterward be moved to the college of fine arts in the city of the northern part of the [illegible]

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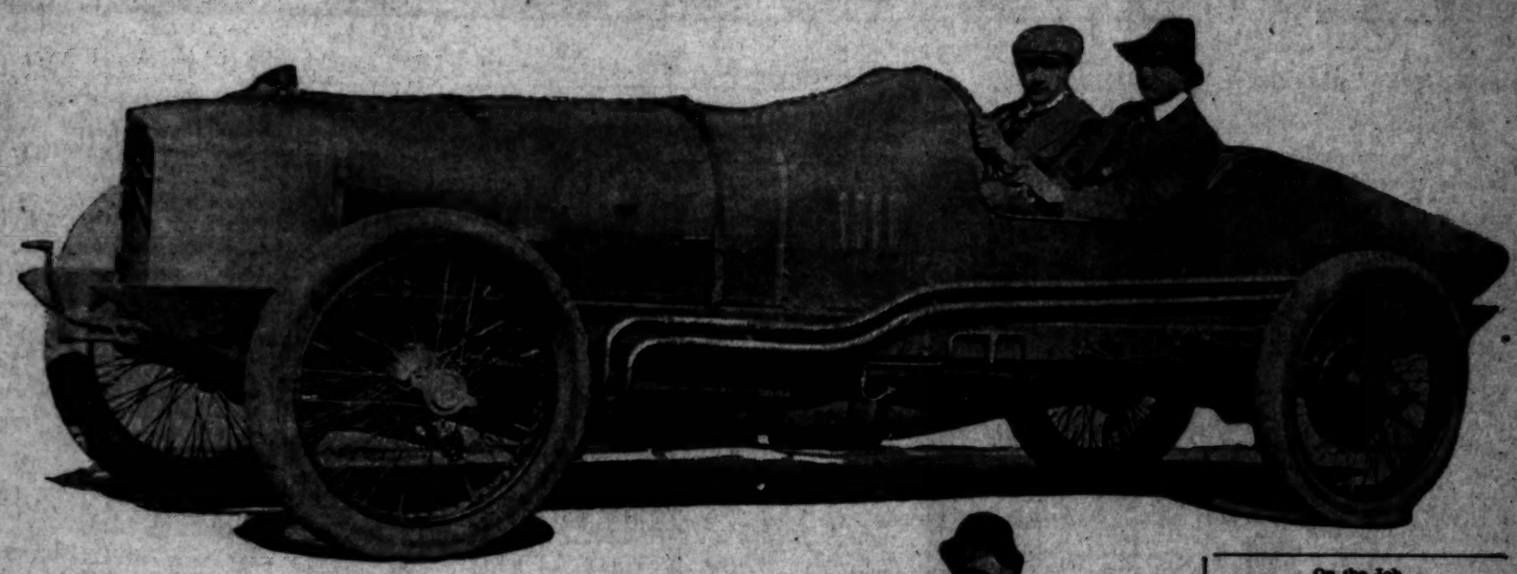

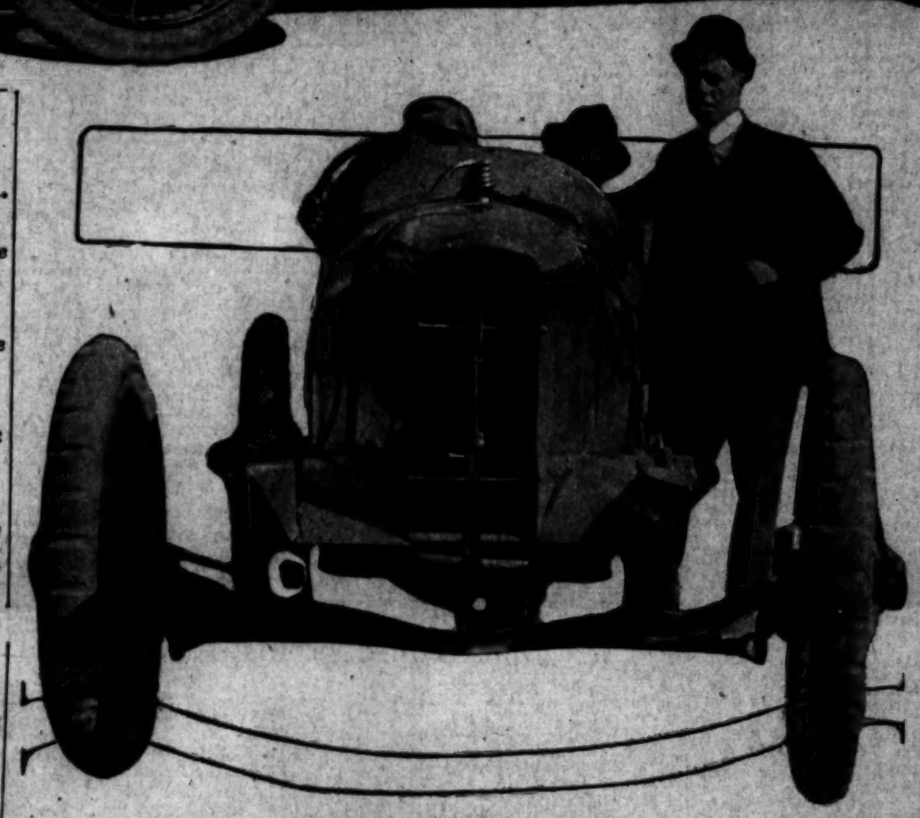

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[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

MILWAUKEE, Feb. 14.—Frankie Callahan, the Brooklyn lightweight, did not put up much of a fight against Benny Palmer of Memphis tonight. Callahan clinched as often as the referee would permit and refused to fight most of the ten rounds. Palmer, however, went at him in savage fashion, and several times stung the New Yorker so hard that he was forced to flare up with some of the fast stuff that he evidently was keeping in hiding.

Palmer, however, had the clear lead in eight of the ten rounds. Callahan not getting better than an even break in the other two. Callahan was fighting under protest, having tried in vain to get out of the fight when he was unable to bring Soldier Bartfield here with him.

His showing made the fans somewhat peevish and increased their respect for the fiery youngster from Memphis. Palmer was on the move all the time, and even with Callahan clinching constantly, Palmer was able to hand him a beating by sufficient margin to make the critics agree on the Palmer verdict.

POLO MATCHES AT SANTA BARBARA.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA BARBARA, Feb. 13.—The polo teams of Montecito and Santa Barbara are playing a series of games on the Leadbetter Field, getting in trim for the polo tournament, which the local enthusiasts hope to work up for the coming spring. So far in the local contests the Santa Barbara team is ahead. Some very exciting games are anticipated before the season closes.

There are a number of new mounts, some ponies making their first acquaintance with the polo field. Dr. E. J. Boesske has several of these, and C. W. Dabney, president of the polo club, owns others, and both declare the new mounts show as much mettle as those that have played the game for several years.

CLIFFDWELLERS LOOK LIKE ROOST ROBBERS.

From pre-season indications Los Angeles High's baseball team will be adept at robbing the chicken roost. Although a new batting cage was but recently erected on Housh Field it is nearly demolished from intimate contact with numerous foul tips.

RICHMOND AFTER A NEW VERNONITE.

Ted Cathers, late of the Bawston Braves, who came to the Vernon Tigers as part of the Joe Wilhoit deal, is wanted by the Richmond International League club, which may later be removed to Baltimore. A wire containing an offer was received by Eddie Maier yesterday and the offer was promptly refused.

PRINCE HEN IS SPEEDY RUNNER.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Feb. 14, 6:21 p.m.—Prince Henry, third son of King George ran fourth today in the annual junior mile race at Eton. His time was 4m., 54s. The winner was a young school boy named Rice. The race was a strenuous one, owing to wind and rain.

HUGHIE HUGHES AND THE TWELVE-CYLINDER SUNBEAM REACH TOWN.

BY AL G. WADDELL.

RATED as the fastest speedway car in the world, the twelve-cylinder English Sunbeam to be driven by Hughie Hughes in the Ascot Speedway race, scheduled for February 22, is claimed to be the classiest racing job ever seen in Southern California.

DRAWS CROWD.

All day yesterday the Sunbeam attracted a crowd of motor race fans to the Master carburetor plant, where Hughes is making his headquarters while in Los Angeles. No racing car ever brought to this city has created such a sensation as the Sunbeam.

In appearance the car is not unlike the English Sunbeam in which Johnny Marquis turned over in the Grand Prix at Santa Monica in 1914 after taking the lead of the classy field. The color is green and all the fittings are of polished brass.

LONG BUGGY.

The wheelbase of the Sunbeam is 125 inches and the car measures fifteen feet from prow to stern point. The motor carries four Zenith carburetors now, and these are to be replaced with Masters as soon as some experimental work is completed.

On the radiator prow there is a brass extension. The spring points are encased in metal housings brought to a sharp point. The rear tank is worked to a trail point, giving the car the appearance of a much longer tip-to-tip measurement than fifteen feet.

HOLDS MARKS.

This car was turned out of the Sunbeam factory about eighteen months ago. It is the car with which Gene Chassagne shattered all records on the Brooklands (Eng.) course, from the kilometer up to fifty miles, making 132 miles per hour in the trials.

There were two twelve-cylinder Sunbeams put out at this time. The other car is still in England. This car came to America first for experimental and design work. It was imported by the Packard company by special permission of the British government, according to George W. Adams, the present owner.

WANTED MOTORS.

The allies wanted motors for aviation purposes. On account of the scarcity of aviation motors in Europe the allies looked to the United States for aerial power plants, and did what was possible to encourage the manufacture of motors of the aviation type. So, when the Packard company wanted to get a twelve-cylinder motor for experimental purposes at the time that the "Twin-Six" motor was being designed, the Sunbeam, with all the Brooklands records, was the one wanted.

The Sunbeam factory was one of the first factories to go under the munitions act, but the Packard was able to get the car for the dual purpose of using it in designing their "Twin-Six" and for the purpose of developing an aviation motor which the allies could use.

SEEN HERE.

After the deal was closed, with the permission of the British War Office, the car was shipped to the United States, and it was this same Sunbeam, now in Los Angeles, that Ralph de Palma drove against the famous Blitzen Benz on the New York Speedway last fall.

After the speed trials De Palma said that he only played with the Benz. He did 120 miles per hour in the try-outs.

George W. Adams, the present owner, who is also to ride with Hughes as the Sunbeam mechanician in the races in Southern California, bought the car from the Packard factory. Adams is the proprietor of a large garage business in Brooklyn, N. Y., and handles Packard cars. Through his business connections with the Packard factory he put through the deal for the purchase of the English racer.

HAD TO PUSH.

When De Palma drove the twelve-cylinder speeder Hughes says that he had to push it to start the motor. No one on this side had cranked the powerful twelve. Hughes worked on the car for more than five hours and now is able to start it with a one-fourth turn of the crank.

Hughes is a personal friend of L. C. Cotalen, engineer of the Sunbeam factory, and the English engineer has told him things about the motor that makes Hughes believe that the car will show better than 140 miles an hour if he can get a place to open it up, such as Ormond-Daytona Beach in Florida or one of the famous dry lakes of the California desert.

SHOWED SPEED.

Hughes and Adams took the car out to the New York Speedway and, with snow on the course, came out of the turns at sixty miles an hour, going in at eighty. Higher speed on the turns was impossible on account of the snow, but in the stretches 116 was easy.

When Adams bought the car it had a one-seat body, especially for record trials. Hughes designed the two-seated body which is now carried. The hood was cut off and the drive shifted from the left to the right side.

HEAVY.

As the car now stands, with the two-seated body of hammered sheet metal, it weighs 2700 pounds. The piston displacement is 563.3 cubic inches, making the car ineligible for the eastern speedway races. When Adams learned of the Ascot and Corona races he shipped the car out by express and it is to be a contender in all the Coast races this season.

Richard Adams, a brother of the Sunbeam owner, is in the East working on three cars which are to be ready for the Indianapolis race. These cars were designed by Hughie Hughes and will come under the 300-inch piston displacement regulations of the speedways. Hughes is to drive one and George Adams another. It is for the purpose of getting experience that the owner of the Sunbeam twelve is riding as mechanic with Hughes in the Southern California races.

The cars being built for Hughes and Adams are to carry four-cylinder, sixteen-valve motors. These motors were designed by Hughes.

CARDINALS ARE ON THE MARKET.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

ST. LOUIS (Mo.) Feb. 14.—Negotiations for the purchase of the St. Louis Nationals by a local syndicate are being conducted by a local realty firm, according to an announcement today by Henry R. Weisels, a member of the firm.

Mr. Weisels said that the negotiations started with a proposition by the syndicate to buy the real estate holdings of the club. For this property $125,000 was offered. Mrs. Schuyler Britton, however, was unwilling to sell the real estate holdings only.

Mrs. Britton asked $400,000 for the club and its realty holdings. The local syndicate represented by the real estate firm is willing to pay $375,000. There the negotiations stand today.

On the Job.

FIGHT CLUBS RAMBLE ALONG.

New Ruling Hardly Seems to Affect Them.

Angelus Club Moves Over to Olympic Ring.

McCarey's Fighters Alone are Ones Barred.

The new boxing rule of the Police Commission goes into effect today. The strange part about it is that the managers of the boxing clubs now say the rule will not bother them in the least, in spite of the bitter fight they made against its passage.

WON'T HURT 'EM.

"I should say it will not put us out of business," said Manager W. C. Meeks of the Olympic Club yesterday. "We are planning a bigger opening than ever, tomorrow night. All of the boxers will be amateurs. Those who boxed at Vernon have been barred. The Olympic Club has always been a booster for the amateur and will continue to be so. What's more, we intend to grow, too."

While he talked a painter was making the ring look all white and new. Al Boyd of New York, who figures in tonight's main event, could be heard pounding the punching bag in the gym.

OLD FACES.

The men who are to box tonight are many of the same ones who have been boxing at the Olympic Club, and about the city all winter. The new faces will be far between. The only old-timers whose names are not to be seen in the programme are those who once fought for Uncle Tom McCarey at Vernon. They are professionals.

The show tonight will probably see about the same old fans in attendance except that there will be no women present, they having been barred, also.

ONE SHOW.

There will not be two shows a week as heretofore, the commission having expressly tabooed that. But the Angelus Athletic Club, which once held forth at the old Empress, has moved to the Olympic, and will hold its bouts there. That largely makes up for the loss.

The rule demanding that the manager swear that the boxer had never taken money, was not getting it and would never turn professional, was stricken out of the bill. This lifted the greatest weight of the amateur boxing manager's worries. All he has to swear to is that he is not paying the boxer. Meek says that he can swear to that.

NEVER PAYS 'EM.

"Of course, I do not give the boxers money," said Meeks. "We give them medals. What they do with these after they get them is immaterial to us. As the rule stood at first it required an impossible statement. I nor nobody else could swear to a man's past, whom we did not know, nor to his future which none of the nurses could predict."

The manager of the Olympic Club was rather peeved over the barring of some of the women spectators. He claimed that his club was good enough

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BUDDY RYAN TO LOSE APPENDIX.

[BY PRESS WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

SALT LAKE, Feb. 14.—Capt. Buddy Ryan of the Bees was stricken with an attack of appendicitis this afternoon and will be forced to undergo an operation tomorrow morning. Ryan first felt symptoms of the attack a week ago but hoped to be able to "shake it," by resting up. He took a turn for the worse, however, this afternoon and was rushed to the hospital.

"If the operation has to come, let's have it over with," said the Bee captain to his surgeons, "but remember this—I am going to be in Modesto, Cal., one month from today to begin training."

CLINGS TO J. DILLON'S NECK.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

MEMPHIS (Tenn.) Feb. 14.—Vic Hansen, the Los Angeles light heavyweight, was there at the finish of an exhibition fight with Jack Dillon, Indianapolis giant killer, tonight, but it was there principally for the reason that a strangle hold around Dillon's neck kept him there.

Dillon floored Hansen three times in the third round, twice for the count of nine. In the fourth session Dillon floored Hansen three times again, but kept saving Hansen from what looked like a certain knockout when he was almost past as he was sinking to his knees for what would have been the fourth knockdown.

In the fourth round Billy Haack, the referee, was about the busiest man in the ring trying Hansen loose from Dillon. He invariably fell into a clinch when Dillon would hardly bat an eye.

It must be said in Hansen's behalf, though, that he showed considerable gameness by sticking the fourth round out, Dillon, in the latter rounds, being assisted at Hansen's clinging efforts.

VANCOUVER BOSS OUT OF BUSINESS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

VANCOUVER, Feb. 14.—Now great Jake is reported ready to abandon the Canucks ready to abandon the Canucks, R. C. and he has his eye on Great Falls, Mont. Brown figured that after one grab the Montana city lads would want it over, he can go to Vancouver and continue to be a good. He wants four clubs in the league, Great Falls, Spokane and Seattle. But Great Falls has got Brown and he will stick with it. Moreover is dead from the neck up and baseball died with it. Jake is through with baseball and baseball is through with Jake. Jake is one of the greatest stove leaguers in the country. The magnates in the league do not know what is coming off but they are running around with their heads cut off.

JESS'S COLD MAY POSTPONE FIGHT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 14.—Jess Willard's fight with Frank Moran March 8 may have to be postponed because of trouble which the big fellow is having with a cold which has settled in his throat.

Willard lost several days of training a week ago because of the cold. Then he went at it again but lacked vigor, and today he remained at home.

The report that the fight might be postponed is said to have originated in a long-distance telephone conversation between one of the New York promoters and his representative here. The latter will see Willard tomorrow, it was reported, to learn the latter's views as to the advisability of deferring the combat.

REDONDO POLOISTS PRACTICING NOW.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

REDONDO BEACH, Feb. 14.—A practice meet was held this afternoon at the Redondo Beach bath-house, when the members of the polo team of the high school meet to practice polo. On Thursday night of this week the high school will meet the newly-organized team of polo players of the Redondo Beach Athletic Club in their first conflict. Interest is keen between the two athletic bodies, each member being a polo player of recognized ability. On Saturday evening the Redondo Beach High School defeated the Huntington Park High School in water polo by a score of 14 to 0.

WONDERFUL ATHLETE HAS LEG AMPUTATED.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

MADISON (Wis.) Feb. 14.—Axel Hendricksen, who has defied death a hundred times in looping the loop on skis while 100 feet in the air, yesterday submitted to the amputation of his right leg above the knee. He was injured last Friday.

Bundy and McLoughlin Score When Tennis Moguls Fail to Discuss Th

Pleased.

NET CHAMPIONS ARE SATISFIED.

Vindicated when Moguls Fail to Discuss Them.

Neat Passing of the Buck by the Officials.

Tom and Maury Both to Play at Long Beach.

BY HOWARD ANGUS.

Maurice McLoughlin and Tom Bundy stand in little danger of being declared professional tennis players. The National Lawn Tennis Association met, carefully avoided the vexing question and adjourned. Since then it has not been considered polite to mention the subject in society. In other words the whole idea has been put on the table and will probably be left there until it moulders away.

NO CHANCE.

"It will be impossible for them to pass any law until after the new tennis champions are decided," said Tom Bundy yesterday. "I doubt if anything more will ever be said about the subject. The eastern players felt almost as strongly on the subject as we did. The retiring officers chose to slip out as noiselessly as possible. I anticipate no hostile rulings on the part of the new trustees."

McLoughlin was as positive as Bundy on the subject and hadn't the least fear in the world of being declared a professional.

PASSED BUCK.

"By not considering the subject, the committee passed the buck," said Morrey. "It found that the eastern players were with us as strongly as the westerners. The committee didn't want to raise a row. It probably never will. The agitation and talk will all die down."

McLoughlin and Bundy open their sporting goods store today. This puts the issue directly up to the Lawn Tennis Association. Both of them will enter the tournament at Long Beach beginning next Saturday. Afterwards McLoughlin will begin getting in condition to go East and regain his lost honors, among them the singles and doubles championship. Unless the committee acts quickly, it will be too late to act.

STILL ANXIOUS.

"The East is still anxious to see the western players on the courts," said one player.

But it remained for Tom Bundy to cap the climax. "If the eastern players are opposed to our entering in the East," said he, "if our welcome is not as cordial as ever, then they will have to send us our invitations on engraved cards. We're not forcing ourselves on anybody whether they have a rule or not."

TWO GOOD SCRAPS SCHEDULED TONIGHT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 14.—Two bouts of more than ordinary interest are scheduled for tomorrow night. At the Broadway Sporting Club in Brooklyn Ted ("Kid") Lewis and Jack Britton will mingle for the 'steenth time, each having won on every preceding occasion, according to their respective managers.

At Madison Square Garden two old-time chums, Tham Langford and Sam McVey, will engage in one of their ten-round specialties. Tham is fresh from having plastered Harry Wills, his erstwhile conqueror, and is said to be feeling quite chipper.

They even imitate the walk of the Lamport twins out at Manual now.

Hopeful.

CLIFFDWELLERS MUCH IN RING.

SAY THEY HAVE HOPES FOR A FEW POINTS.

Several New Athletes Being Developed on the Hill, with Joe Isenberg Looking Like the Best Bet in the Bunch—May Win Many Points in the Discus and Javelin Events.

"Sure, we've got a track schedule," said Coach Goddard of the L. A. High cinder eaters. Reaching for paper and pencil he wrote off the following:

February 22—Tournament of Roses relays.

February 25—Pasadena at Pasadena.

March 3—Hollywood at Hollywood.

March 10—Poly at Y.M.C.A. Field.

March 18—Blank.

March 25—City meet.

April 1—Southern California meet.

April 15—State meet.

"What chances have you this year, coach?"

Goddard grinned from ear to ear. "It's almost too early to tell everyone what we have on hand, but, take it from me, these little Cliffdwellers of mine are not the worst bunch of athletes in the world."

The absence of a date with Manual Arts from the itinerary of the Hill-toppers speaks volumes. Several reasons can be thought up for almost anything, and it seems certain that the reason for avoiding Manual is not fear of such stars as mighty Margolyes, the miler, and Warren "Kerrigan" Lamport in the sprints.

There is a young gent up at L. A. High who is just crazy to meet Margolyes on the cinder path. Gold is his name, and he has long distance aspirations. It seems that Gold was present when Margolyes once won the mile at Osceola, or somewhere up north, and believes he has lots more class than the young farmer gent that Fritsch's wonder beat out at that time.

The pole vault is a regular football affair at L. A. Shea, the Scott brothers and Sam Dougherty have all taken to it in great shape and do 10ft. 6in. consistently.

Joe Isenberg, also a member of the last eleven, is doing wonderful work with the javelin and discus. It looks as if he is good for from eight to ten points in every meet.

Following are the other events and some of the men that are out for them:

Distances—Pritchard, Reynolds, Dyches, Arthur, Moyer and Gold.

Sprints—Pillow, Schaeffer.

Discus—Roberts, Smith, Isenberg.

High jump—Walker, Atwood, Bischoff.

Broad jump—Shea, Schaffer, Walker.

Low hurdles—Atwood, Mills.

Hessen has developed into quite a stick jumper in the high hurdles. Coach Goddard claims that he can give anyone in the city the race of their lives for first in this event.

SILVER TROPHIES FOR GOLF PLAYERS.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA BARBARA, Feb. 13.—Some fine silver trophy cups have been provided for the golf tournament to be held on the Montecito links next month. Critics inspecting the links declare that the work spent on them during the past year has not been in vain, and say the links are among the best in the West. The putting greens are well-rooted Bermuda grass grown in sand. It is expected the tournament will attract here teams from all over the State, besides which a number of nationally famous professionals from the East are expected.

WESTERN LEAGUE HOLDS MEETING.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

LINCOLN (Neb.) Feb. 14.—The first step to prepare for the 1916 baseball season was taken today by club owners and other officials of the Western League of Baseball Clubs in their annual schedule meeting here by ratifying the recent sale of the Lincoln club and franchise to a local stock company. It was the first league meeting since the election of Frank Zehrung as president, who succeeded Norris L. O'Neill of Chicago.

BOWLING NOTES.

Play in Alfred Mackenzie's Sunday night sweepstakes was exceptionally good and the scores unusually high. Hagar won first with 710, giving him the fine average of 237. Coll was second with 675.

E. F. Hewett challenged Coll and Hagar to beat he and Mackenzie three games, bets 25c. Hewett had the right down to win. The feature of the doubles play was the extraordinary spurt of form shown by Hagar, who totaled 674 for the series. All of the others had better than 200 averages. All in all the play in both events was the best the fans have seen at the Majestic this season. Scores of the first four in each event and doubles follow:

Hagar	246	207	217	710	237	
Coll	225	223	227	675	225	
Mackenzie	202	216	205	623	207	
Weston	153	215	205	573	191	
Hagar	246	207	217	710	237	
Coll	225	223	227	675	225	
Hagar	246	207	217	670	223	
E. H. Hagar	174	149	150	474	158	
Totals	845	813	875	1,133		
E. F. Hewett	183	243	228	654	218	
Alfred Mackenzie	205	173	233	611	203	
Totals	411	416	444	1,271		

The unexpected happened on the Majestic alleys in the match between the Women's Bowling team and the Majestic team of the past season. The latter, bowling the remarkable individual team average of 204. Mandor was a wonder. His average of 240 is the best record in this league. The men were as impossible on Dec that he can't talk about anything else.

Kind Chapman's 204 average was so far overshadowed by Mandor's work it was lost sight of. Mrs. H. C. Scott bowled more than well, coming through with 202 average. The scores:

MAJESTIC WOMEN TEAM.

	1	2	3	Tri.	Av.
Mrs. J. Graham	148	154	139	441	147
Mrs. Guy Leighton	158	158	158	474	158
Mrs. F. D. Mandor	211	211	218	640	213
Mrs. H. C. Scott	197	204	213	614	204
Totals	693	729	652	670	2,760

SECURITY TRUST AND SAVINGS BANK.

	1	2	3	Tri.	Av.
E. F. Hewett	178	177	214	569	189
Hagar	211	211	218	640	213
King	185	211	218	614	204
L. D. Mandor	201	211	218	630	210
Totals	774	809	868	770	2,953

In a twelve-game endurance bowling contest at the Palace bowling alleys, eight teams entered the contest, and seven teams finished the long grind. The Palace team, composed of Hewett, Coll and Hagar, won the championship. The runner-up was the bowling of Harry Mack, who rolled eight consecutive games over the 200 mark, and with an average of 196 for the twelve-game contest. Coll and Rawlins were close behind with an average of 195.

The contest throughout was very close and the positions were continually changing and the second and third teams fought desperately for the lead position. Pierce and Warner finally won out over Graves and Shafer, while Gregg and Rawlins finished third. A total of forty-eight games was rolled.

Mackenzie's gentlemanly luck, having rolled the most games, a total of thirty-five, These games were tied for the special prize of a $5 meal ticket, donated by Mr. Hagar. Each of the team drawing the most prizes. They were Hessen and Pierce, Graves and Shafer, and Hayes and Mack. The totals are as follows:

TEAM STANDING.

Teams—	Games.	Pins.	Grand Total.	Team Av.
Pierce and Warner	47	35	9,327	198.5
Graves and Shafer	42	28	8,356	198.9
Gregg and Rawlins	42	28	8,158	194.2
Hessen and Pierce	42	28	8,158	194.2
Hagar and Hayes	42	28	8,064	192.0
Hayes and Mack	42	28	8,010	191.0
Graybeck and Dawson	42	28	8,005	190.6
Hessen and Mackenzie	41	26	7,763	171.0

INDIVIDUAL STANDING.

Class A—	Games.	Total.	Av.
Mack	36	6,870	190
Shafer	36	6,870	190
Rawlins	36	6,870	190
Warner	36	6,854	190
Darrow	36	6,804	188
Firestone	36	6,804	188
Shay	36	6,790	188
Mackwardt	36	6,264	179
Class B—			
Phelps	22	4,168	189
Gregg	36	6,870	190
Hospital	36	6,868	191
Graves	36	6,868	191
Hansen	36	6,372	177
Graybeck	36	6,361	176
Hayes	31	5,449	175
Rising	9	1,460	162

LEAGUE MERGER TO BE ALLOWED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

AUBURN (N. Y.) Feb. 14.—The merger of the New England League and Eastern Association Baseball Clubs, which has been under consideration for some time by a committee appointed by the National Association of Professional Baseball Leagues, is allowed in a decision made public today by Secretary J. H. Farrell of the National Association. The committee finds that the two component interests—invested property rights and a genuine public demand—force the conclusion that the best interests of baseball will be conserved by allowing the merger.

Upon the conclusion of certain formalities for which fifteen days are allowed, the order for a ten-club circuit becomes effective. The circuit comprises the towns of Lowell, Lawrence, Worcester, Portland and Lynn of the New England League, and Bridgeport, New Haven, Hartford, New London and Springfield of the Eastern Association.

CLAUDE BERRY IS KANSAS CITY MAN.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PITTSBURGH (Pa.) Feb. 14.—The Kansas City American Association club has purchased Claude Berry, a catcher, from the Pittsburgh Federal League club, according to an announcement here today. The purchase price was not made public. At one time Berry played in the Pacific Coast League.

Popular.

LAMPORT TWINS SET FASHIONS.

EVERYBODY COPIES THEM OUT AT MANUAL ARTS.

The Latest Fad is to Try to Walk Like the Two Blonde Heroes and They're All Hard at Work Learning the Step—Takes a Real Athlete to do it Correctly.

The Lamport walk has become a contagion at Manual Arts. Everybody has the habit. Everybody's doing it. One hardly dare walk down the hall unless he imitates a Lamport. The same is true on the athletic field.

The Lamport brothers have a walk all their own. They lean forward and sort of hitch along when they walk. Nobody seems to be immune from it. Coach Fritsch is even trying to imitate the walk. All of the girls can take the steps to perfection. Margolyes is a past master at them and will use the stride when walking up on the platform to debate.

The reason for the imitation of the Lamport walk comes from the hero worship. All of the girls think that Harry and Warren "Kerrigan" Lamport are simply marvels.

Other athletes will win two or three first places and nobody will say a word. But let a Lamport take as much as a third place, and every girl becomes hysterical. The natural consequence is that everybody who wants to shine in the girls' eyes tries to act like a Lamport.

It has now reached the point where even a stranger visiting Manual can notice the walk imitations and enjoy a hearty laugh.

HOW THE TEAMS WILL STACK UP.

STANDINGS.

HEAVYWEIGHTS.

Teams—	Won.	Lost.	P.c.
Whittier College	6	1	.750
Orange	6	1	.750
Whittier Crescents	4	3	.625
Y.M.C.A.	4	3	.625
L.A.A.C.	3	5	.375
Westlakes	3	5	.375
U.S.C.	3	5	.375
Glendale	3	5	.375
Normal	3	5	.375

LIGHTWEIGHTS.

Teams—	Won.	Lost.	P.c.
L.A.A.C.	6	1	.857
Y.M.C.A.	5	2	.714
Whittier Crescents	4	3	.571
Glendale	3	4	.429
U.S.C.	0	7	.000

BANTAMWEIGHTS.

Teams—	Won.	Lost.	P.c.
Whittier	6	1	1.000
Orange	5	2	.714
L.A.A.C.	4	3	.571
Pasadena	3	4	.429
McKinley	0	6	.000

Whittier College	at	Glendale.
Finch	Forward	Bidwell
Butler	Forward	Little
McMurray	Center	Taylor
Sharpless	Guard	Farnar
Cox	Guard	Rose

Normal Hill Westlakes	at	Whittier Crescents.
Dye	Forward	Benton
Hile	Forward	Robinson
Cate	Center	Snowball
Christenson	Guard	Beals
Traugar	Guard	Weber

Orange	at	Y.M.C.A.
Thompson	Forward	Delzell
Shinn	Forward	Chesebro
Pine	Center	Olney
Hogan	Guard	Becker
Shafer	Guard	Kuhl

L.A.A.C.	at	Normal.
Blair	Forward	Blanchard
Lassell	Forward	Nohr
Slaughter	Center	Reeves
Wilson	Guard	Squires
Brandstetter	Guard	Ball

HOLLYWOOD TRACK MEN WORKING OUT.

This week the track season for Hollywood High will start with a rush. A large bunch have been working out the last couple of weeks trying hard to get in shape for the numerous meets. There has been keen interest in the new event that has been added to the list, namely the javelin throw. In recent practice it was hurled over 150 feet which is considered a good throw for the first handling. Hollywood came out rather lucky and will have all the meets on the home track. The schedule runs as follows: February 15, Occidental; February 19, Pasadena High School; Feb. 26, Poly High School; March 3, Los Angeles High School; March 10, Manual High School; March 18, Long Beach High School; March 25, city meet at Y.M C.A. Field.

BRAVES ENTER BIG MARATHON.

Four Braves from the Sherman Indian School have entered the marathon run from the L.A.A.C. to Tournament Park in Pasadena Washington's Birthday. They are Peter Begay, J. Poncell, R. Polaystewa and W. George.

Begay and Polaystewa were demons in The Times Modified Marathon and made great reputations for themselves. All of the others were left many paces in the rear by the Indians.

Fire.

SHOOTERS WILL OPEN SEASON.

NOGALES CLUB MATCH WILL BE SHOT SUNDAY.

Several Cups Put up for Best Performances by Local Marksmen. May be the Last Shoot Held Under the Old Regulations—Turner Nimrods to be the Next Victims.

The Los Angeles Rifle and Revolver Club will open its season of 1916 on Sunday by taking on the strong Nogales Rifle Club of Arizona over the regular N.R.A. course of 200 and 300 timed fire, 300, 500 and 600 slow fire. Any ambitious gent is eligible to shoot for the team, and the ten highest ones will be it on each side.

The Hon. William Ruess will hang up a Mitchell cup for the highest man on the local team and another for the highest man among the rookies trying, or making the team, a rooky being a member not in the club six months before the match. Said cups become the permanent possession of the winners, and are guaranteed against corrosion from malt or other strong waters.

On the 27th, or the Sunday following, which would be the first Sunday in March, the locals will trek to Schuetzen Park for a seance with the Turners at the stand-up-and-shoot-'em game. By that time it is hoped the new dope from the N.R.A. will be on hand and practice for the national interclub match can be opened.

CLAPHAM PAINED; TO LEAVE TOWN.

Gus Clapham, distinguished mat artist, leaves here Wednesday for Porterville, where he is to "rassle" a local hope. He is much pained to hear that his finish battle with a Japanese wrestler, in which he choked and squeezed the Oriental into submission in a few minutes, has been termed a fake.

ARBOGAST SIGNS UP HARRY HARPER.

Charley Arbogast's invasion into the Coast League has to date netted him one recruit, namely, Harry Harper, slugger of the Angels. Harper will play in the outfield for the Hayden Club in the Copper Belt League in Arizona. Arbogast will continue to San Francisco late this week.

GEORGE KAHLER TO LIVE ON A FARM.

George Kahler, formerly of Cleveland and last year with the Portland Ducks, has decided to quit baseball and retire to the busy life on the farm. Geawdge is now slaving on a ranch near Fullerton and putting in his time on Sundays heaving for the Fullerton Semi-pro club. He was released by McCredie last season and poor health prompts him to retire.

BEALS BECKER IS NOW A FREE AGENT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 14.—President Baker of the Philadelphia National League club today announced that Beals Becker, utility outfielder, had been given his unconditional release.

Wolf Would Flee.

[Answers:] Two middle-aged women were talking of the war, and the means they would adopt to earn a living should married men be forced to join the army.

"Well," said one, "if the worst should come I can keep the wolf from the door by singing."

"Marie, you can," said the other matron, very earnestly; "that is, if the wolf has a correct ear for music."

Who's Extortionate?

[Wall Street Journal:] Comptroller Williams's statement that national banks in Texas, Georgia, Oklahoma and Louisiana have been lending money at from 20 per cent. to 2000 per cent. is only another proof of how wicked Wall street is.

The Vengeance of Vienna.

[Boston Transcript:] The captain who sank the Ancona has been severely punished, the scoundrel having been compelled to accept the Imperial Order of the Red Eagle of the second class.

FREDERICK OLIVER, architect, 1701 West Seventh street, Milan. Formerly from New York.

FIGHT IN THE AIR OVER CITY OF MILAN.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

MILAN, (via Paris) Feb. 14, 10:20 p.m.—The raid by Austrian aeroplanes on Milan this morning afforded fresh proof of how well the capital of Lombardy is prepared to face any contingency which might arise out of the war.

Immediately after the Austrian aeroplanes were sighted, the Italian defense force rapidly took the air and attacked the raiders, who fled, hotly pursued. It is not known whether any of the Austrian machines were damaged.

The population showed great calmness while the raid was being made. There is much indignation here over the attack.

RUSSIANS CAPTURE ONE ERZERUM FORT.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PETROGRAD, (via London) Feb. 14.—The following official communication was issued today:

"On the Western (Russian) front the lively reciprocal fire continues. Between Olai and Dalsen Island our observations show that our fire has been effective. Near Dvinsk the enemy has employed asphyxiating gas bombs.

"Caucasus front: After an explosion caused the day before by our artillery in one of the Erzerum forts, we captured the fort. Pursuing the Turks, our troops again captured numerous prisoners, six guns and a large quantity of munitions."

FIELD EVENTS MEN HAVE A WORKOUT.

Performers in the field events for Poly and Los Angeles High mingled in a friendly little workout on the Hilltop Field yesterday afternoon.

Coaches Skinner and Goddard did not allow anyone to get within twenty feet of the tape so no idea of the marks made can be given. Skinner is very mysterious, especially about his discus hurlers. If secrecy counts for anything he should have a great team.

Something

FREDDIE WELS... DEFE...

ACCEPTS NICE GUAR... D, TORTO...

Dundee and Mandor... a Couple of Weeks ... Gets a Crack at ... Crown—Considerable ... Over the Eliminator...

[BY DIRECT WIRE—... NEW ORLEANS, Fe... die Welsh, lightweight ... the world, today accept... guarantee to be paid ... he enters the ring for a ... round match for the ... here on Saturday, March ... laft it to Dominick ... promoter, to name his ... his first real title ... came champion.

Tortorich will post ... the twenty-round bout ... 21, between Joe Mandor ... Dundee against Welsh. ... now slightly favored ... but there is a lot of ... here among the rooters ... will be remembered that ... Dundee fought a twenty-... a year ago and on ... sport writers disagreed with ... eree's decision.

Efforts to match the ... have failed. The title ... the new Louisiana Ath... will seat 12,000, and a ... and gate is expected. ... Mandot is the first ... Welsh. The referee ... come up yet, but ... probably referee both ... new club has decided ... but local men.

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Signing articles for the big Willard-Moran scrap.

Jack Curley, who had an option on the fight. ①

Tom Jones, Willard's manager ②

Tex Rickard, The man with the money ③

Bob Harmon who got the parties together ④

Mr. McCracken associated with Rickard ⑤

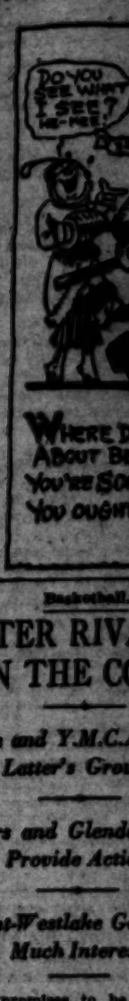
The Dorgan, Moran's manager ⑥

Moran, selected by Willard ⑦

Jack Skelly celebrated light authority ⑧

TUESDAY MO...

The Wa...



Basketball.

BITTER RIVA... ON THE CO...

Orange and Y.M.C.A... Latter's Grou...

Quakers and Glend... Provide Acti...

Crescent-Westlake G... Much Interes...

What promises to be ... most exciting basketbal... the season will be played ... C.A. tonight. The two ... teams are the Y.M.C.A. ... nage Athletic Club.

BY ONE POI...

In the first week of the ... two teams met at Orange ... C.A. team was defeated ... lose point in a game th... plete with sensations. T... players said then that if ... the Orange team on the ... would be good-by to Orang... hopes. Here is Orange ... play on the city courts.

Since that game both ... won the large majority of ... Orange is tied with Whit... for first place. The Y.M.... with the Whittier Crescent... place.

SHIFTED TEA...

Orange has made a shift ... up since the first Y.M.... Regan is playing at guard ... center and Pine is at ce... gives Orange two long and ... lows who can reach all over ... It is hard to play with su... The Y.M.C.A. has itself ... best defensive team in t... League.

Whittier College may ... pring for her out at Glen... Quakers play there tonight ... going up against a hard, ... These Glendale players ... rougher game without ge... than any other basketball t... Southwest.

A HOT ONE.

The Normal Hill We... Whittier Crescents will pl... game at Whittier. Alth... Westlakes have hit a los... they are strong. Many ... they are stronger than the ... They have one victory over ... tier team to their credit.

The L.A.A.C. heavyweight ... take a little vacation tonig... play Normal who is makin... stab at athletics this season.

INDOOR TENNIS COMPETITIO...

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—... matches ruled today as th... won their places in the ro... the semifinals of the nation... tennis championship ... Grant, George King, A. H. ... Dr. A. W. Waite, W. M. Wood... O. A. Walker, Jr., came th... stand with R. Lindley Mu... advanced to the round on Sa... Grant, five times holder ... honors, returned to his old ... beating R. Howard Voshell, ... 1-3, 8-7, 6-4. King, th... the University champion, pla... energy and his gets contribut... downfall of George O. Wa... Buffalo star, at 3-6, 6-2, ... Man, former Yale champion ... too resourceful for H. S. ... Hayward, 1904, and won at ... 6-7.

GOS...

EDDIE O'DONNELL'S D... and the Omar car, ... with a sixteen valve Du... motor, to be driven by Om... are to arrive in Los Angele...

Many claim that the Om... have it on the twelve cylind... team to be driven by Hughie ... in the Ascot contest, February ... class and speed. O'Donnell s... the Omar is the finest racing ... seen on the Coast. George Ada... that the Sunbeam is that sam... As a result, there will be t... automobiles in the Ascot enga...

Silas Christoffersen has ju... piloted a six cylinder militar... tion motor at Harry A. Miller ... which is claimed to be a mas... and Silas announced yesterda... he intended to build a car fo... Lewis later in the season, e... with one of his own motors.

Dave Lewis is to drive a M... the Ascot century, February ... ing to have piloted a car fo... Wilcox which was being built ...

The Wad Family. Oh, Yes, They Have Their Suspicions. . . . . By GALE.

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Basketball.

BITTER RIVALS ON THE COURTS.

Orange and Y.M.C.A. Meet on Latter's Ground.

Quakers and Glendale Should Provide Action.

Owens-Westlake Game Holds Much Interest.

What promises to be one of the most exciting basketball games of the season will be played at the Y.M.C.A. tonight. The two contesting teams are the Y.M.C.A. and the Orange Athletic Club.

BY ONE POINT.

In the first week of the season these teams met at Orange. The Y.M.C.A. team was defeated then by one low point in a game that was replete with sensations. The Y.M.C.A. claims still then that if they ever got the Orange team on the city courts it would be good-by to Orange's pennant hopes. Here is Orange now ready to play on the city courts, where that game both teams have won the large majority of their games. Orange is tied with Whittier College for first place. The Y.M.C.A. is tied with the Whittier Crescents for third place.

SHIFTED TEAM.

Orange has made a shift in her lineup since the first Y.M.C.A. game. Owens is playing at guard instead of center and Pine is at center. This gives Orange two long and lanky fellows who can reach all over the court. It is hard to play with such a team. The Y.M.C.A. has itself perhaps the most effective team in the A.A.U. league.

Whittier College may find a surprise for her out at Glendale. The Quakers play there tonight and are going up against a hard, rough game. The Glendale players can play a rather game without getting dirty than any other basketball team in the league.

A HOT ONE.

The Normal Hill Westlakes and Whittier Crescents will play a fierce game at Whittier. Although the Westlakes have hit a losing streak, they are strong. Many think that they are stronger than the Crescents. They have one victory over the Whittier team to their credit.

The L.A.A.C. heavyweights will only take a little vacation tonight. They play Normal who is making her first real athletic this season.

INDOOR TENNIS COMPETITION HOT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Three set matches noted today as the players took their places in the round before the semifinals of the national indoor tennis championship here. W. C. Grant, George King, A. H. Man, Jr., R. A. F. Walte, W. M. Washburn and R. F. Walker, Jr., came through to meet with R. Lindley Murray, who advanced to the round on Saturday.

Grant, five times holder of the title, returned to his old form, defeating H. Howard Voshell of Brooklyn, 6-4, 6-1. King, the Columbia University champion, played with speed and his guis contributed to the defeat of George O. Wagner, the Yale star, at 6-4, 6-2.

Parker, former Yale champion, proved too powerful for H. S. Parker, Harvard, 1914, and won at 11-9, 2-6, 6-4.

M'CREDIE SELLS FRED DERRICK.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

PORTLAND, Feb. 14.—Book agents and solicitors were about as welcome as bubonic plague around the Portland Coast League ball headquarters today. It was W. W. McCredie's busy contract-mailing day, and he made a big afternoon of it.

Besides mailing contracts to all of his unsigned diamond stars, the Portland magnate closed a deal for the sale of Fred Derrick, first baseman, to the Birmingham (Ala.) club of the Southern League, and formally disposed of one holdout by releasing outright Fred Carisch, catcher.

Derrick's sale to Birmingham was an outright affair. For weeks Walt McCredie has been trying to peddle Derrick in a trade for Meusel, outfielder, but Birmingham finally turned him down and the sale followed.

Portland's club is now clear of all the so-called dead timber.

POCKET BILLIARD TOURNEY STARTS.

The pocket billiard tournament for the championship of the city began last night. Two matches were played.

Bayne and Harba of the Sierra defeated O'Brian and McLean of the Lyceum, 50 to 45 in eleven innings.

Banks and Tarton of Voorhies defeated Sutton and Doane of Ball's parlors, 50 to 44 in nine innings.

In the first game O'Brian made a run of 23. In the second game Sutton made a run of 26.

Match will be held in this tournament every night except Friday for the next nine weeks.

JIMMY JOHNSTON SOMEWHAT PEEVED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHATTANOOGA (Tenn.) Feb. 14.—Jimmie Johnston, the former Oakland, Pacific Coast League, outfielder, who resides here in the winter, has refused to report to the Brooklyn Nationals, who bought him from the Newark Federals. Shortly after the Coast League season closed, Johnston signed with the Federals. After peace was signed President Ebbets bought his release from Sinclair, the former Newark owner. Johnston claims that Ebbets has declined to assume the contract he signed with the Federal League.

F. CARISCH GETS THE HOOK FROM M'CREDIE.

Fred Carisch, the catcher with the fat tenor voice, who shared receiving honors with Gus Fisher for the Ducks last year, yesterday received his release from McCredie. Carisch is a fine catcher, but he wants too much money to suit Walt, so he was let out. He will go after a job with another Coast League club.

ALHAMBRA EASY FOR RAIL-SPLITTERS.

The Lincoln High baseball nine journeyed all the way over to Alhambra yesterday afternoon and walloped the home folks 6 to 0 just as easy as that. Lincoln is out after interscholastic honors on the diamond this year.

JACK QUINN MAY LAND NEAT JOB.

There is some possibility that Ham Patterson will sign up Jack Quinn, the celebrated Federal League heaver, for next year. Quinn has a contract calling for an unheard of sum of money and if the Feds will compromise with him so that the Tigers can sign him up at a reasonable figure, he may land a job.

Coming.

AGGIE BASKET TOSSERS OFF.

Travel South to Meet Several Rival Teams.

Are Tied for Title with the Californians.

Expect to Have no Trouble with Stanford.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CORVALLIS (Or.) Feb. 14.—The Oregon Agricultural College basketball team left Corvallis today for an extended trip through Southern Oregon and California, where games are scheduled with the Ashland High School, the University of California and Stanford University.

Eight men and Coach Stewart are making the trip. The men "Doc" is taking are Capt. Seibert, Mix, Ray, Blagg, Johns, Friedman, Blakeley and either Kathan or Brewer Billis. The Aggie mentor is leaving Lowe, a freshman, behind, as Pacific Coast conference rules prohibit the playing of freshmen in conference games.

The Beaver basket tossers are now tied with California for first place honors in the Pacific Coast conference title race, and the locals' chances for the pennant rest entirely on their showing in the two games at Berkeley. Stewart's team won their sixth straight game against Whitman Thursday night and appear to be going well.

If the seemingly inevitable slump that always follows a string of victories does not set in before the Berkeley players are met, the locals' chances for the championship seem exceptionally bright. Members of the University of Washington team, that played two games here immediately following a two-game series with the Bear Staters, intimated that the Orange and Black would have little difficulty in tucking away two wins from the Californians, providing the same brand of ball was played against them as displayed in the Washington games.

The Cardinal and White five of Stanford University have not shown much in the basketball line this year and these games should be easy ones for the Aggies.

The Joke that Failed.

[Pittsburgh Chronicle Telegraph:] "Robson, do you know why you are like a donkey?"

"Like a donkey?" echoed Robson, opening his eyes wide. "I don't."

"Because your better half is stubbornness itself."

The jest pleased Robson immensely, for he at once saw the opportunity of a glorious dig at his wife. So when he got home he said:

"Mrs. Robson, do you know why I am like a donkey?"

He waited a moment, expecting his wife to give it up. But she didn't. She looked at him somewhat pityingly, as she answered: "I suppose it's because you were born so."

A Cool Thief.

[Philadelphia Record:] When David Stanton of Pitman, N. J., went to take out his automobile he discovered that the car was shy a tire, with rim attached. An investigation revealed the fact that a stranger walked into a store in the center of the town around noon with a tire and rim over his shoulder, asked for paper and cord and coolly wrapped up the stolen articles, paid for the wrappings and asked the way to the railroad station. His nerve saved the stranger from arrest, as no one suspected him.

LONDON'S TWINE FAMINE.

No String Obtainable has Increased Use of Hand Bags.

[Boston Transcript:] "There is no string to be got in London," a tradesman is reported to have said in the course of some country court proceedings.

That, of course, is an exaggeration, as everybody knows, who has had occasion to do any shopping and has received a parcel lavishly entwined much the same as usual. But there is undoubtedly a shortage of the article which is so abundantly used by shopkeepers, and it is due to obvious causes.

"Twine which is used for securing parcels is all manufactured here," the head of a firm engaged in this business told a Daily Chronicle representative recently, "but the raw material comes from abroad, mostly from Russia and Italy. Russian hemp is used for making the coarser sorts of string, and Italian hemp the finer kinds. Italy stopped the export of all raw materials two months before she entered the war, and though Russia has plenty of hemp to dispose of, the difficulty is to get it out of the country. Hemp has consequently risen about 100 per cent. in price, and this, coupled with dear labor, makes the cost of string more than double what it was."

Fortunately, economy in string is not difficult of attainment. An easy solution is for shoppers to carry home their purchases in handbags, thus solving the double problem of parcels delivery and the twine famine.

SPEAKING IN BILLIONS.

The Human Mind Cannot Grasp the Magnitude of the Term.

[Providence Journal:] A billion units are believed to be beyond the capacity of any human mind to grasp. But we are becoming accustomed to speaking of money in terms of the billion, with billion-dollar Congresses, experts of a billion and the immensity of war finance.

A French newspaper, the better to impress its readers with the magnitude of the "loan of victory," exceeding 14,000,000,000 francs — in our money $2,800,000,000—reminds them that "only 1,007,212,000 minutes have elapsed since the death of Christ." That is certainly a striking allusion. Even counted in our money, the aggregate of dollars poured out of the woolen stocking of France is more than twice the number of minutes in the centuries since the dawn of the Christian era.

The Imperial German Treasurer has stated that the war debt for his country amounts already to $10,000,000,000 and is being added to at the rate of half a billion a month. And with all the belligerents the debt is piling up so that it is counted in billions, while a billion itself cannot be counted or scarcely comprehended.

THE SWISS PRESIDENT.

Receives No State Honors and People Care Little About Him.

[Manchester Guardian:] How many Englishmen—or, for that matter, how many Swiss living in England—could give offhand the name of the President of the Swiss Confederation? In accordance with the Swiss Constitution, the head of the state, or the President of the Federal Council, as he is officially called, only holds office for a year, and is elected every December. The Federal Assembly has just elected their President for next year. He is M. Camille Decoppet, who received 186 votes out of 188.

Owing to the curious international position of Switzerland and its relations with the belligerent powers, the position might be supposed to be one of considerable importance, but even the Swiss people are apathetic as to who shall occupy it, and they give to their chief no state honors whatever. He is accessible to almost anybody, and a British Minister at Berne has told how, when he went to visit the President once, the door was opened by his wife, who was busy cooking, while the President was sitting at his desk in his shirt sleeves. Switzerland is a true republic according to the old and classic ideal—the only one.

The Magic Touch of War.

[Brooklyn Eagle:] Germany takes 400,000 hogs from Serbia. If one German should take one hog from one Serbian in time of peace it would go hard with him. War is the touch of magic which enables the Germans to turn thieves and cover themselves with glory in Serbia and in Belgium. Could hogs be fed on powdered milk?

THE FLAG IN MASSACHUSETTS.

A Fantastic Law Prevents Any Representation of the Emblem.

[New York Evening Post:] The troubles of magazine editors are various. The Youth's Companion, a family magazine, which we recently miscalled juvenile, is publishing a serial narrative called "The Flag," in which the flag is the theme and center of interest from beginning to end. Yet in none of the illustrations is there any representation of the flag, for the reason that, when the Massachusetts Legislature two years ago passed a law to prevent the misuse of the national and State flags it so stupidly worded it that no person, firm or corporation in the commonwealth may now print or display a picture of the flag for any purpose whatever. A brewery or disreputable hotel may keep the flag flying all day; no schoolroom or patriotic organization dare offer a reproduction of it, lest some spiteful person invoke the police power. The Companion states its belief that it could defend at law its right to publish a picture of the flag; it declines to try, because it believes in patriotic obedience to the statutes as they are, and because it cannot run the risk of having an edition mutilated.

Just as Well.

[Life:] She: And I told mother I simply could not come tonight as I hadn't a thing to wear, but—

Host: Well, I'm awfully glad you came just the same.

GOSSIP OF THE SPEED KINGS.

BY AL G. WADDELL.

ROBERT O'DONNELL'S Duesenberg car, the Omar car, equipped with a sixteen valve Duesenberg motor, to be driven by Omar Toft, expects to arrive in Los Angeles today. Manager Sloan says that the Omar will be put on the twelve cylinder Sunbeam to be driven by Hughie Hughes, in the Ascot contest, February 22, for which Toft signed. O'Donnell says that the Omar is the fastest racing job ever built on the Coast. George Adams says that the Sunbeam is that same thing. If it is true, there will be two real speedsters in the Ascot engagement.

The Christofferson has just completed a six cylinder military aviation motor at Harry A. Miller's plant which is claimed to be a masterpiece and Miller announced yesterday that he would build a car for Dave Lewis later in the season, equipped with one of his own motors.

Dave Lewis is to drive a Mercer in the Ascot contest, February 22. He has also signed a car for S. A. Dillon which was being built up here on the frame of one of McKee's racing cars; but it was impossible to get parts in time for the February 22 date and Eddie Pullen fixed it up for Dave to drive a Mercer.

It was rumored yesterday that Cliff Durant is to have a new racing car. He will keep the Chevrolet Special or Durant Special, as it is well known to speed fans, until after the Ascot race, as he is taking no chances on not having a car for the event.

R. D. Lentz, who is to drive the Romano at Ascot, February 22, promises some real speed this time. The last time the car showed here, it had not been tuned up and Lentz was not satisfied with the showing made.

It was reported yesterday that Jim Parsons was to drive a Fiat in the Ascot event instead of a Stutz.

Fourteen cars are to start in the Ascot race, two rows of seven cars with a flying start. The field will be paced on the starting lap. Several star drivers have volunteered to drive the official pace car in which will ride the A.A.A. representative, referee, starter and chief of the medical staff. Louis Nikrent in a Packard Twin-Six is one of those on file for the job.

The construction work on one turn of the Ascot speedway has been completed. There is another turn to be built and the stretches have only been graded. The construction gang will work over time from now on.

Eddie O'Donnell says that he will stay in California for the rest of his natural life if he can have all the gasoline he needs. He doesn't like the price in New York and as long as he can persuade Ventura McDermott to slip him the key to the gas tank, the Mitchell touring car runs perfectly. It's a foregone conclusion that Eddie will burn Ventura petrol in the Ascot race.

The Thais car owned by Frederic Robertson was equipped yesterday with a special racing carbureter constructed by Harry Miller and the owner claims that the car will now do close to 100 miles an hour. The Thais made eighty-two with an ordinary stock carbureter. Three hundred and ten pounds of weight have been cut off by rebuilding the car.

Shall a Radical Serve on Supreme Court Bench?

No appointment to the United States Supreme Court could have created a greater sensation or caused more talk than has President Wilson's appointment of Louis Dembitz Brandeis.

From ocean to ocean there has been a flood of editorial comment both for and against his confirmation by the Senate. In THE LITERARY DIGEST for February 12th, all shades of public opinion as shown through the newspaper press are concentrated in a most illuminating article which presents all of the objections urged against Mr. Brandeis and also evidences of the favor which his appointment finds in many quarters.

Other features of importance in this number of "The Digest" include:

Secretary Lansing's New Sea-Code

His Attempt to Frame a Code of Rules That Will Suit Both Berlin and London—and How It Is Received by Each

Effect of the President's Plea for Preparedness
An Embargo Petition Fifteen-and-a-half Miles Long
The Burned Parliament Building at Ottawa
A Splendid Photograph of This Magnificent Gothic Pile Before Its Destruction by Fire
The Defense of Egypt
Degenerative Influence of City Life
How to Know the Textiles
How to Tell an Edible Lobster
Repairing Facial Battle-Wounds
Yvette Guilbert and Her Art
Why Germany is Misunderstood
Tokens of Belgian Gratitude
Islam Viewed by German Church
A Remarkable Naval Exploit
Illustrated by a Photograph of the Steamer "Appam" and Her Captor, Lieut. Berg
How Conscription is Received in England
Is Japan Tired of England?
"Trench-Foot" a War Disease
A Nobel-Prize Hoax
How Germany Saves Her Wounded
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Henry James is Honored by England's King
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STAGE

Spotlight Rays.

ALONG THE RIALTO.

SIDELIGHT ON THEATER DOINGS GLIMPSES OF STUDIOLAND.

By Grace Kingsley.

H. E. Aitken, president of the Triangle Film Corporation, is in the city on business connected with the Triangle output.

Hello, George.

George Beban, the noted character actor, is at the Alexandria. He is to appear in pictures for the Morosco Photoplay Company.

Some Picture.

"Undine" is the name of the highly spectacular and sensational film play with which the new Palace Theater on Seventh street will open next Saturday night.

New Rialto Notes.

And we're to have a regular Strand Theater, too, just like the one in New York. The old Mozart Theater on Grand avenue is "it."

Mme. Sarah Bernhardt in her latest photoplay, filmed at her home in France, and entitled "Jeanne Dore," will open the house. The Blue Bird releases are to be used exclusively, and two pictures a week will be shown.

Horrible.

Frank Darien broke the mainspring of his wrist watch and was hardly able to appear in "Inside the Lines" at the Morosco last night.

Do Tell.

Little Russell Thaw, Evelyn Nesbit's son, stopped yesterday in front of the house where Stella is on exhibition, and inquired whether "Stella was being played with the original cast."

He Should Worry.

Somebody inquired yesterday at the Orpheum box office whether Rock and Rye would appear at the theater this week. Billie Rock wasn't a bit peeved when they told him, either, merely opining that little Rye White is "comin' through" with the dance goods all right, which she certainly is.

Just Like Home.

Fannie Ward, who is appearing in "Tennessee's Partner" this week on the Superba screen, stepped out of the Beverly Hills Hotel into a dense fog, the other night, remarking, "Well, this is a gracious touch of home." You know Miss Ward owns a mansion in exclusive Barclay Square, London, which she has until recently called "home." But she has now completely capitulated to Southern California.

Miss Ward has purchased a bungalow in Hollywood, has taken unto herself a husband and a fleet of motor cars. So now it's "Good-by Piccadilly," and "Farewell Barclay Square."

Who'll be It?

Now the thing's going to be settled, and will be off our minds for good and all. They're just all being pushed in by main strength, those beautiful motion-picture actors who are featured in the Handsomest Man (note the caps) contest being conducted by the Universal. You may nominate anybody you want to and send the name to the Handsomest Man Contest Editor at the Universal. The soothing announcement is made that the nominee will not be allowed to question your taste.

Beautiful Violet Mercereau takes a leap in the dark in behalf of the great cause and offers to propose to the winner. Anyone who has ever seen Violet knows that this is a promise, not a threat.

Can Talk, Too.

Ken McGaffey of the Lasky company has been raising the actors' fund batting average by speaking at the Republic and other theaters during the week.

Not Live Ones.

The Universal Film Company this week secured the first rights to the use of a new departure in the manufacture of motion pictures, conceived and patented by Ridley F. Taylor and W. W. Wheatley, both of Long Beach, Cal.

The new films will be known as mannikin films and will be made precisely as the more common type of photoplay is made except that the players will be dolls, automata, instead of flesh-and-blood players. The resulting films will be more in the nature of cartoons than real pictures, although the close-up effect of the camera used in their making will make the tiny players appear life-size when projected on the screen.

Poor 'Nita.

Barney Oldfield has lent Anita King one of his racing cars for use in her picture, "The Race," which the Lasky company is putting on.

Anita was practicing with the new car yesterday and the first thing she did was to slay a Ford. Miss King says, "Talk about the high cost of living; it's nothing to the high cost of killing a Ford."

Lord! How Popular.

Valeska Surratt has migrated to London, taking with her the manuscript of Blanche Ring's former vehicle, "When Claudia Smiles." It is said that Miss Surratt has gone abroad partly in order to escape the fight between the Lasky company and the Fox company regarding her film services.

Temperamental?

Lillian Gish has purchased a Victrola for her dressing-room. The versatile P. A. seizes the opportunity to claim that Miss Gish uses the instrument to get into the mood for her roles.

On the Way.

Florence Reed in "The Eternal Magdalene," and Otis Skinner in a new play, will shortly appear at the Mason.

Dark Career.

Eleanor Wilton, who plays Norah, the maid, in "Twin Beds," played Aunt Dilsey, the colored cook of Judge Priest in Irvin Cobb's comedy, "Back Home," when it was produced in Atlantic City last June.

Now she has another colored role in view; she says that, in point of fact, the future looks very dark for her.

Charlie Outdone.

Charlie Chaplin is in New York, where the Charlie Chaplin No. 2's are thickest.

Charlie writes back that he was standing near one of his imitators the other day, and spoke to the fellow, who did not know him.

"Say," said the near-Charlie, speaking for the edification of the crowd, "I'm considered the best Chaplin imitator in the country. Yes'r, and no wonder, I'm a personal friend of his, and he taught me all his business. Just between you and me, I'm a little better than Charlie. He says so himself."

No Use.

Douglas Fairbanks, who is appearing in "His Picture in the Papers," at the Majestic this week, declares he pawned all his dignity when he found out Anita Loos had anything to do with writing the scenario. Anita's scenarios are usually screams, but she has no regard for human life.

"I fall downstairs, and lose my whiskers out of a car window, and am train-wrecked and dog-bit," said Fairbanks. "Oh, I'll do anything now—anything but eat soap!"

Good-by, Florence.

Florence Rockwell leaves for New York today to accept an engagement in a new production.

Miss Rockwell's mother was painfully injured from taking a misstep when alighting from a car the other day, but is declared able to travel now.

Terrible Possibility.

Carroll McComas and Earl Carroll have struck up a friendship, all due to Miss McComas's whistling. What if—but no, there seems no danger as yet of a Carroll Carroll on the stage.

Sartorial Note.

While Eddie Lowe was putting on his regimentals yesterday, to appear in "Inside the Lines," his purple necktie was taken from his dressing-room. Billie Colvin says he just had to take it away and chloroform it. "Inside the Lines" is such a quiet war play.

"There's not a shot fired," said Colvin. "Why allow Eddie's necktie at large!"

Live Wire.

Tom Chatterton is producing a taking photoplay in "The Ranger of Lonesome Gulch," which, as the name indicates, is a western play.

Good for Stella.

Stella Raseto is to be featured in a photoplay entitled "Herself," by Olive Prinzlau Clark, at the Universal studios. Edward J. Le Saint will direct the production.

Ditto for Nona.

Nona Thomas, whose excellent work in "Peggy," with Billie Burke, placed her high in the good graces of the critics, is playing the lead with William S. Hart in a western feature, Jack Standing rounding out the three big characters.

Gracie Another Raffles.

Grace Cunard is again to be seen as "My Lady Raffles." The present one-reeler, which will be the first of a series, is entitled "Master Crooks."

Bessie's Bungalow.

Bessie Barriscale is changing bungalows, and the moving vans will be busy on Saturday taking the Hickman family to its new quarters. There are several objections to the old location, according to Miss Bessie. First, the road is lonely and hard to get to. Second, not enough company for the cat. Third, the dog next door objects to Miss Bessie's bow-wow, and the dog next door is about seven times as big. Fourth, well, a change once in a while is good anyhow.

Dainty little ingenues.

Ever popular Ida St. Leon, who is being seen in the war play, "Inside the Lines," this week at the Morosco, and (above) Lois Meredith, a new star of the Balboa Motion Picture Company.

Interesting.

TWO NEW EVENTS FOR BIG SWIM.

CAMERON COFFEY WILL SHOW HOW TO SAVE LIFE.

Competition Growing Between Swimmers in the Different Events, Sylvester and Tuttle are in Great Condition for Their 100-yard Duel. Jerry Witt Expected to Shine.

V. Frederick Veith added two new stunts yesterday to his swimming handicaps for next Thursday night. They are a race the length of the tank for juniors under 13 years of age and a rescue act by Cameron Coffey.

The latest wrinkle is for the little 4-year-old swimming marvel to be a life guard. Elizabeth Janis, another little youngster who can swim, will jump into the water with her clothes on. Little Cameron, togged out in full dress, will go in head first after her. Then he will endeavor to bring the youngster to shore.

COMPETITION.

The rivalry in all of the races has become keen. Practically every race has developed down until it is a race within a race. In many races there are several fellows laying for each other.

The classic in this matter, however, is the 100-yard dash in which Sol Tuttle and Guy Sylvester are to swim. Sylvester is the scratch man and Tuttle has one second handicap. In the last race Tuttle beat Sylvester. Ever since that race Guy has been figuring that he must have been sick or weak from the measles. He can find no other excuse for Tuttle's winning.

CONFIDENT.

On the other hand, Tuttle is equally been training strenuously. Every day been straining strenuously. Every day he has worked out in the tank. Also he went through a handball tournament that served to take the fat off.

In the breast stroke the interest centers around whether Messenger will be able to keep ahead of Haylock. Messenger in all other races has weakened toward the end while Haylock sped by.

In the 220 and 440 Jerry Witt is, of course, the card. Everybody wants to see him give those immense handicaps and get away with it. Being only a youngster, the sympathy of the crowd is with him.

RAY KEGERIS.

In the juvenile races Kegeris looks like the comer. He is the best sprinter and back-stroke swimmer among the juniors. Veith thinks the boy is a coming champ.

In the plunge for distance the medal will probably go to Kewple Stearns, a large person of some 230 pounds who seems to be able to go through the water indefinitely. He holds the Southern California record of 63ft. 9in.

Billy Williams, the champion diver of the United States, will be on hand to give exhibitions. Williams comes near being perfect when it comes to hitting the water without a splash.

It is doubtful if Jack Kilburn will swim Thursday. He is having ear trouble and blames the water for it. Aileen Allen has consented to have her diving girls along with her. The exhibition ought to be a pretty one. The summary of events and handicaps:

The 100-yard junior swim—Kegeris, scratch; Vultee, 7 seconds; Van Culin, 10 seconds; Kirchner, 13 seconds; Skinner, 20 seconds; Chapman, 20 seconds; Greenwood, 20 seconds; Welch, 20 seconds.

The 150-yard back stroke—Burns, scratch; Brinker, 10 seconds; Haylock, 17 seconds.

The 200-yard breast stroke—Haylock, scratch; Messenger, 2 seconds; Eldred, 11 seconds; Farquhar, 13 seconds; Barker, 33 seconds.

The 440-yard swim—Witt, scratch; Wood, 48 seconds; Aseltine, 54 seconds; R. Stahl, 79 seconds; Daugherty, 96 seconds.

Plunge for distance — Stearns, Henry, Sylvester, Tuttle.

The 100-yard swim, open—Sylvester, scratch; tuttle, 1 second; Kilburn, 4 seconds; Clark, 4 seconds; Leech, 4 seconds; Henry, 7 seconds; Vultee, 7 seconds.

The 100-foot back stroke for juniors—Greenwood, McCutcheon, Van Culin, Kirchner and Vultee; all are scratch.

Men's diving—Williams, Condee, Fields, Bowes, Swendsen and Gilbert.

Junior diving—Ray Kegeris, Coast champion, and Jeff Davis, Southern California A.A.U. champion.

The 220-yard swim—Witt, scratch; Tuttle, 7 seconds; Farquhar, 19 seconds; Stahl, 19 seconds; Stahl, 29 seconds; Field, 33 seconds.

Officials—Announcer, Les Henry; starter, Bob Weaver; clerk of the course, F. Teschke; timers, Robb, Lidge, Kiawaana, Fritsch and Adair.

Bibulous.

PHILOSOPHY OF DRINK.

County Farm Worker Holds a Man of His Age is Entitled to Two Big Sprees a Year—His Theory and the City Defender Win Him Freedom.

Robert Burke holds a man who is 70 years old is entitled to two tipples a year. For fifty years he was a blacksmith, but recently his arm gave out and he was forced to earn his living as best he could. Being old and hoary, and untrained in anything but smithy work, he was unable to find a job, and at last found refuge at the County Farm, where he was paid $2.50 a month and board and lodging, for trimming the trees.

In consideration of his reduced income, Burke involved the philosophy regarding his drinks.

He held to his rule by enjoying himself with great thoroughness and effect July 4, 1915. His period of abstinence again expired in January, but financial conditions compelled an extension of the drought.

Saturday he received his pay and came to the city. For twenty-four hours his habitat was behind a swinging door and facing a mirror. He shed half a hundred years, danced the hornpipe for the spectators, sang some songs, and at last gave true finish to the spree by engaging in a fight.

So he appeared in court yesterday morning and was by way of receiving ten days in the City Jail when a recollection of a newspaper notice came to his mind, and he asked for the new city defender.

Mr. Pope was brought to his aid and to him Burke told his philosophy regarding his semiannual sprees. Mr. Pope presented the matter to the court, and Burke offered, if Justice Frederickson would release him, to walk all the way to the County Farm: It is a good ten miles.

So the deal was made and the walk was begun. City Defender Pope defended eight other cases, in which he assisted the court in ascertaining the true incidents of the offense for which the culprits were arraigned. He succeeded in getting the eight free on suspended sentences.

ON FINANCIAL SHOALS.

Members of Commission Firm Individually and Collectively Bankrupt.

A. W. Phelps of Fullerton and Duncan Campbell of San Francisco, individually, and doing business as the Duncan Campbell Company, vegetable and fruit commission merchants, with branches in Los Angeles and San Francisco, filed a petition in bankruptcy in the United States District Court yesterday.

The debts of the partnership are scheduled at $50,600.66, of which $19,000 is secured, and $31,600 is unsecured. Among the assets, which are given as $78,175.19, are bills, promissory notes, etc., $32,299.51; machinery, tools, etc., $3056.85; due on open account, $32,212.72; unliquidated claims, $10,000. The corporation has personal property at Sunnyvale, Kelseyville, San Jose, Brawley, Fullerton, Tolbert, Boisa, El Monte, Los Angeles and Long Beach. They also have a lease on 320 acres of land in the Imperial Valley.

The individual schedule of A. W. Phelps shows debts amounting to $6902.92, and assets of $4070. Duncan Campbell, who lives at No. 427 Third avenue, San Francisco, acknowledges individual debts amounting to $17,351.32, of which $10,151.90 is secured, and $7199.42 unsecured. His assets consist of clothing worth $65, which is exempt under the law.

The debtors and creditors of the corporation are largely Japanese fruit growers and dealers.

FILIPINO LAWYER WINS.

Word has been received by Dean E. W. Porter of the college of law, University of Southern California, that Mariano Ylano, a full-blooded Filipino, and a recent graduate of the college of law, has won a case in a San Francisco court. Ylano defended a fellow-countryman on a charge of forging a check, and brought him off by his able cross-examination. Ylano is the first Filipino to be admitted to practice in the Federal courts of the United States. He will return to his home at Kawit, Cavite, P. I., and enter upon his profession there.

A Nightmare.

[Charleston News and Courier:] In Germany's reply in the Baralong case it is stated that "the German army and navy in this war observe the principles of international law and humanity." Evidently the sinking of the Lusitania was just a bad dream and never really happened at all.

Who Wouldn't?

STROUD WOULD LIKE E. MAHAN.

But Says that He Hasn't been Thinking of It.

Will Get Him if Such a Thing is Possible.

At Last Reports Eddie Thought of Turning Pro.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

BERKELEY, Feb. 14.—Dispatches from the East state that rumors are current that "Eddie" Mahan, former Harvard captain, is to be assistant was the star full-back for the Crimson "Doc" Smith.

The facts are these: When in the East on his scouting trip, Stroud visited Harvard, met Mahan and asked him how he would like to coach in California. Mahan replied that he thought of trying to get into professional baseball, but that he would "think the matter over." Stroud entered into no further negotiations, but before he left Harvard he requested some of the California transfers there to keep in touch with Mahan.

No one at California has received any verification of the report that Mahan is to come west. It is thought that it must have originated from the activities of California students now at Harvard.

However, there is no doubt that California will bid for Mahan's services if he is willing to come here. He was the star full-back for the Crimson team last season, and proved to be the hero of the Yale-Harvard game. He was also a sub pitcher on the baseball team.

A Smith-Mahan coaching combination would make the strongest teaching staff in the West. It will be in line with the football policy, which is that no expense shall be spared to get the best football talent available.

Money.

WAY CLEAR FOR WILL.

Steps Toward Distribution Taken by Probate Court—Fourth of Half-million-dollar Estate to go into Legacies and a Trust Fund.

The Probate Court paved the way yesterday for the distribution of the numerous legacies made by Mrs. Susanne B. Wolfskill in her will. These legacies and a trust fund aggregate $130,000. The estate is valued at $550,000.

The will, which was probated by Judge Rives yesterday, gives $20,000 to Robert V. Moore, a brother of Mrs. Wolfskill; $5000 each to Robert E. Moore and Harry T. Moore, nephews; $1000 each to Lela D. Phillips and Irma Isham, nieces; $5000 to Ruth Wolfskill; $5000 to Mrs. Florence du Puy Johnston; $5000 to Bishop Joseph H. Johnson for the benefit of the Good Samaritan Hospital; $1000 to Elena P. de Wolfskill; $1000 to Mary A. Corbin, and $10,000 in trust for William E. Mitchell, in appreciation of his friendship for the late John Wolfskill.

Mrs. Wolfskill also provided a trust fund of $50,000 for the worthy members of her husband's family. One-third of the estate is also ordered placed in trust to Ney Wolfskill, a son, to be paid quarterly to Edith I. Wolfskill, a daughter. The residue is given to the sons, Ney and Matt A. Wolfskill.

WIFE SAYS HUSBAND HELD BY BRITISH.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

CINCINNATI (O.) Feb. 14.—Efforts were being made through the State Department today by Mrs. Olive Hamer Stoll of this city to obtain the release of her husband, Dr. K. L. Stoll, who, according to a letter she received from him, is being detained at Edinburgh Castle, Scotland, as a prisoner of war of the British.

Mrs. Stoll said that in the letter Dr. Stoll stated he was taken from the steamer United States at Kirkwall, Eng., while on his way to Copenhagen en route to Germany. She declared her husband has been in this country thirteen years, but that he had not taken out naturalization papers. Dr. Stoll, she said, sailed from New York January, 3, for the purpose of serving in the Red Cross in Germany.

HOSPITAL TRAIN GIFT OF AMERICANS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, Feb. 14.—A hospital train of thirteen cars, the gift of two wealthy Americans, was presented today to the French government.

The train is fitted with the most modern equipment and can accommodate 225 wounded persons.

The cars are decorated with American and French flags and the Red Cross insignia, beneath which is painted, "American Hospital Train."

Fight Club

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for any woman to sit through be insulted.

So it looks as if the only the fight rule will be to Vernon battleaxes, keep the out of the clubs, and the holding more than one

The bouts scheduled for Lee Reese vs. Walter Blake vs. Jack Lester, Jack Mitchell Waddell, Tommy Richards August, Vic Wright vs. Dick Al Boyd vs. Bobbie Lewis. Holmes could not find a new an unfamiliar figure bunch. If the new rule is amateur boxing in the tainly not acting much

VERNON BOUTS.

When Battling Ortega Michaels clash in the four event at the Vernon Athletic night, local fans will see the cal pair of middleweights Ortega claims the coast championship having won nine consecutive San Francisco.

An equally important scheduled for the semi-final Battling Chico and Al McManus has won ten bouts and deserves a chance against The first bout will begin promptly 8:30 o'clock with Tommy Howard refereeing. The bouts follow: Howard vs. Bud Starr, 130 pounds; Dick McManus vs. Vic Wyatt, 135 pounds; Jimmy Lastre vs. Kid 135 pounds, and Frank Reed vs. Billy Moore, 135 pounds.

San Bernardino.

ALL BIDS TOO HIGH

New County Hospital Would Cost San Bernardino County More Than Sum Supervisors Have on Hand—Woodchopper-Cigarette Scrap Flares.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN BERNARDINO, Feb. 14.—Bids for the new County Hospital which were opened today by the Board of Supervisors occasioned considerable surprise because the figure submitted is beyond the sum of funds available to the Supervisors who spent more than $40,000 for ninety-three-acre site several years ago.

At that time taxpayers made protest in the form of an injunction suit alleging that the Supervisors were purchasing too large a site and that there was not enough money to erect a suitable hospital. The lowest combination bid totaled more than $140,000 after the plans were trimmed one wing from the building proposed by Architect Lester S. Moore of Los Angeles.

The W. E. Keir Construction Company of San Diego was the lowest of the bidders with $199,900. C. Monroe of Santa Ana bid $215,630; William H. Crowell of Pasadena $230,000, and the Cresmer Manufacturing Company of Riverside, $211,488. The Board will consult with the architect to trim the buildings to conform with the fund available, about $160,000.

CIGARETTE SETS FIRE.

J. W. Wilson, a woodchopper on the old Fessenden ranch near the mouth of Devil Canyon, today reported to Forest Supervisor R. H. Cornell that embers blown from his cigarette by the wind probably started a forest fire which burned over seventy acres of the ranch and which threatened to do serious damage before a force of seventy-five men from the city checked the flames.

A siren summoned together the members of the San Bernardino mountain fire-fighting force and truckloads of men started from here for the fire less than thirty minutes after the alarm came in. Ranger Hayden in Devil Canyon took action was taken against Wilson.

CLEVERLY PICKS POCKET.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SOUTH PASADENA, Feb. 14.—Using the confusion of a wreck getting off a South Pasadena car at the busy Mission-street and Fair Oaks avenue junction with the Pacific Short Line as their blind, two well-looking, well-dressed young men picked a purse from the pocket of Mrs. Amos Heath, an elderly retired mariner, of No. 1100 Kirkwood street, which contained a draft for $50 on the Boulder (Colo.) bank and $15 in cash. Mrs. Heath did not discover her loss until his arrival home several hours later. Payment on the draft has been stopped.

SEAMEN'S ACT TO BE AMENDED

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—An amendment to the seamen's act requiring vessels less than 100 feet long to carry from four to six boats instead of twelve was introduced today by Senator Fletcher on the suggestion of small boat owners on the Great Lakes.

VISCOUNT WEYMOUTH KILLED IN ACTION

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Feb. 14.—The Marquis of Bath today received news that his eldest son, John Alexander, Viscount of Weymouth, had been killed in action. No details regarding the Viscount's death so far have come to light. He was born in 1905.

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ONTARIO, Feb. 14.—The result of today's exciting meeting of the stockhold the San Antonio Water Co which includes practically eve age grower in the Ontario-U district, will not be known un morrow morning when the telle announce the result of the vo directors.

Glenn D. Smith, general mana the Ontario Power Company, corporation owned by the water co against whom charges of misma ment and irregularities were b by Director Hugh Latimer, was pletely vindicated. C. D. Van large stockholder, offered a reso to the effect that the meeting e its thorough approval and app tion of the integrity, ability an fficiency of the general manager. resolution was adopted by an whelming majority with a rising Latimer and a few of his foll being the only ones to vote agai Rumors of graft charges have rife for weeks with the result th Pacific Theater was packed to ca ty this morning. It became publ day that matters reached a c in the fight last week when dur wordy altercation Manager Smith by contradicted J. O. Mills, secr of the company, and the knocked him down.

BRINGS CHARGES.

Among the charges brought by Latimer, who declared tha had secured his information Mills under the secretary's protest ose to the effect that Manager S had employed company men in b ing a vault in Bellevue Cemeter which to deposit the body of his son, who died suddenly nearly years ago.

Scarcely able to speak in his

Cities and Towns South of Tehachepi's Top—Los Angeles County News.

Ontario.

WOMEN BATTLE LIKE AMAZONS.

Female Black Eye, Bald Spot, Cuts and Bruises.

Kiss Printed on Enemy's Cheek Signal for Fight.

Ontario Neighbor Promises to Never Redarken Door.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

ONTARIO, February 14.—Pleading guilty to a charge of disturbing the peace, following the filing of a complaint against her by Mrs. Margaret Condon, but declaring the reception she was accorded when on a peace mission last night would make Henry Ford's expedition look like a howling success, Mrs. Julia Caldwell, wife of George W. Caldwell, well-to-do real estate man and owner of the Caldwell subdivision, this afternoon paid a fine of $5 and gave Judge Holbrook her solemn promise never to darken her neighbor's door again.

As a result of last night's trouble, which was staged at the home of Mrs. Condon, No. 537 South Campus avenue, and which resolved itself into a knockdown-and-drag-out free-for-all, Mrs. Caldwell is tonight carrying a black-out arm, painful bruises about the head and body and a bald spot on her scalp; Mrs. Mayme Fitzgerald, a daughter of Mrs. Condon, is wearing a lady-blackened right eye; Mrs. J. J. Brogan, a sister of the complaining witness, is nursing sundry bruises, and several others have minor souvenirs of the fray.

BAD BLOOD AROUSED.

According to Mrs. Caldwell there had been bad blood between the two families since last fall, when she exposed herself rather freely concerning an attempt of Mrs. Fitzgerald, who is the mother of six children, to "secure a legal separation from her husband, James Fitzgerald, a local streetcar conductor, and since when they had not been on speaking terms.

Last night, however, according to her own testimony, Mrs. Caldwell was invaded with a spirit of forgiveness when she heard that one of the Fitzgerald children was sick at Mrs. Condon's home and that they were in need of medicine. Having procured the medicine, Mrs. Caldwell went from her home on Caldwell avenue to the Condon residence. Upon entering she was greeted by Miss Hannah O'Day, a visitor from Chicago, who told her that Mrs. Condon was indisposed and had retired and asked her to step into the next room to see her.

Desiring to bury the hatchet, Mrs. Caldwell went to Mrs. Condon's bed and, putting her arms about her, kissed her on the cheek.

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This time the fight resolved itself into a name-calling bee and a general mix-up followed. In the fight to get Mrs. Caldwell, Mrs. Brogan, who had arrived on the scene since her last visit, seized a coffee pot from the stove and, says Mrs. Caldwell, brought it down with much force and accuracy on the latter's forehead. In the scuffle Mrs. Fitzgerald received a badly-blackened eye and a cane, in the hands of J. P. Brogan, broke a window, cutting Mrs. Caldwell's arm.

With Mrs. Caldwell once out of the house, members of the household amused themselves by throwing every movable thing about the dwelling out into the yard after her. This was in process when officers arrived and put a stop to the row.

"You needn't worry, judge; not if they lived in Ontario 100 years would I ever speak to them again," declared Mrs. Caldwell this afternoon. "If I did right I'd have all three of those women arrested for assault, but they are not worth the trouble."

If the Coronado Agency, 334 Spring street, can be of any assistance to prospective Hotel del Coronado guests, please call Main 3917 or A2789.—[Advertisement.

Redondo Beach.

SPIRIT OF PROGRESS.

Redondo Beach Chamber of Commerce has Profitable Pow-wow Over City's Business Conditions—Boiling Water Scalds Woman.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

REDONDO BEACH, Feb. 14.—Two hundred members of the Redondo Beach Chamber of Commerce met at Sea Gull Inn at noon today for a banquet and to listen to special speakers on the subject, "The Spirit of Progress."

Among the speakers were Edward C. Thomas, general agent for the passenger department of the Pacific Electric; F. R. Fancher, president of the Redondo Beach Chamber of Commerce, and J. C. Cable of the Hygienic Ice Company of Redondo Beach.

The Redondo Beach Chamber of Commerce will meet every two weeks hereafter. The meeting two weeks ago was held at the Turquoise cafe. At each fortnightly meeting a new manager takes charge, and it is not known at what place the next manager will announce the banquet to be.

The manager for today was J. E. Forbes and the manager for the banquet two weeks hence will be J. C. Gillespie. During the noon hour an augmented orchestra from Los Angeles entertained the members.

WOMAN SCALDED.

Mrs. F. E. Olin, wife of a business man, was painfully burned this evening about the right arm and right knee when she accidentally scalded herself while working near a stove.

Mrs. Olin, who was alone in the house at No. 811 Garnett street, lifted a tea kettle full of boiling water and the handle slipped, splashing the hot water on her arm and leg. She was able to summon her husband by telephone and he brought a physician, who dressed the burns.

NEW BREAKWATER.

Work was begun this morning on the new breakwater when seven carloads of granite rock arrived by Pacific Electric. More rock is expected in the morning. The breakwater to be built will extend north from the new pier to the Lightning Racer and will cost approximately $2500. What ground it covers will be on property of the Pacific Electric, and the Pacific Electric, the city and the Santa Fe Railroad are joint contributors to the expense of this project.

"Hotel del Coronado" social season is at its height. Splendid steamer service daily.—[Advertisement.

ARROWHEAD FUNCTION.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

ARROWHEAD, Feb. 14.—In compliment to the Annual Orange Show convening at San Bernardino this week, H. M. Nickerson, manager of Arrowhead Hot Springs, is planning an elaborate affair for Saturday evening. Many orange growers and their wives are sojourning at Arrowhead during the convention and they will be the guests of honor. Nickerson plans to entertain guests in a lavish manner and the evening of merriment will be climaxed by an 11 o'clock supper dance. The entire scheme of decorations, cousine and entertainment will be carried out in orange. Several unique entertaining features will take place during the early part of the evening.

Golf, polo and fishing now at Coronado.—[Advertisement.

Citric Acid.

FIGHT AMONG OFFICERS OF BIG WATER COMPANY.

Annual Election of San Antonio Stockholders Stirs up a Hornet's Nest at Ontario—General Manager Vindicated of Charges, but Retention Depends on Result of Vote for Directors to be Announced Today.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

ONTARIO, Feb. 14.—The actual result of today's exciting annual meeting of the stockholders of the San Antonio Water Company, which includes practically every orange grower in the Ontario-Upland district, will not be known until tomorrow morning when the tellers will announce the result of the vote for directors.

Glenn D. Smith, general manager of the Ontario Power Company, a corporation owned by the water company, against whom charges of mismanagement and irregularities were brought by Director Hugh Latimer, was completely vindicated. C. D. Van Wie, a large stockholder, offered a resolution to the effect that the meeting express its thorough approval and appreciation of the integrity, ability and efficiency of the general manager. The resolution was adopted by an overwhelming majority with a rising vote, Latimer and a few of his followers being the only ones to vote against it.

The meeting with the result that the Ontario Theater was packed to capacity for hours. It became public today that matters reached a climax in the fight last week when during a meeting of the association Manager Smith flatly accused J. O. Mills, secretary of the company, and the latter knocked him down.

REMOVE CHARGES.

Among the charges brought today by Latimer, who declared that he had secured his information from files under the secretary's protest, was one to the effect that Manager Smith had used company men in building a vault in Bellevue Cemetery in which to inter the body of his only child, who suddenly nearly two years ago.

Smith was able to speak in his emotion, Smith explained that there had been a delay in the completion of the mausoleum and that he had asked Supt. Robert Manley of the company to render him the entire bill when it was finished since he did not wish to place the boy's body in the vault until it was entirely paid for. This charge, instead of working to Smith's detriment, created a great wave of sympathy in his behalf.

Latimer and H. E. Swan, vice-president of the First National Bank, and a member of the advisory board of the water company, had a slight altercation when Latimer declared that some time ago when he had called Swan's attention to an alleged irregularity on the part of Smith, the banker had told him to go after Smith and that he, Swan, would back him up, but that he had failed to do so when the directors and advisory board met.

SWAN WAS THERE.

"I don't like to say anything about Mr. Swan when he is not here," said Latimer after glancing about the room.

"Go ahead, Mr. Latimer," declared Swan, rising to his feet. "I'm here; you've already said several things that are not true."

Whether or not Smith is retained as general manager of the power company depends upon the result of the election of directors, some of whom favor him, while others are said to be bent on his removal. The nominees voted on are A. Podrasnik, now president of the San Antonio Water Company; Isaac C. Baxter, George B. Sell, Mayor F. C. Crowell, T. R. Woodbridge, Thomas Nisbet and Hugh Latimer. The first three are reported as favoring Smith, while the last four are said to be against him or doubtful. There are the votes of 6000 shares to count. The result will be announced when the meeting reconvenes at 11 o'clock tomorrow.

Special supper dance February 19 at famous Arrowhead Hot Springs.—[Advertisement.

Pasadena.

BISHOP SPEEDS ON FAST TRAIN.

Hurries to Son's Bedside with Hope of Aiding Him.

Hotel Green Presents "A Study in Chintz" at Ball.

Woman's Footprints Indicate She Burglarized House.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PASADENA, Feb. 15.—With a prayer on his lips and hope in his heart Rt. Rev. Mr. Hartzell, Methodist Episcopal Bishop of Africa, is racing with death from Chicago to Pasadena in an effort to reach the bedside of his son, Rev. Morton C. Hartzell, whose physicians fear he is fatally stricken.

The Bishop, who was summoned when the local minister's condition became critical, is coming as fast as the swiftest limited train can carry him, having started yesterday, and the many friends of both hope he may arrive in time to see his son alive.

The sufferer is afflicted with a complication of diseases and has in the past undergone a number of operations which left him in a weakened condition. He shows remarkable will, his spirit remains unbroken, and every effort is being made to prolong his life.

Rev. Morton Culver Hartzell is regarded as one of the brilliant young ministers of the Methodist Church. His career, though brief, through physical failure, has been distinguished. He began his work after graduation as the pastor of an important Chicago congregation, but illness compelled his relinquishment. He made some gains after rest and came to Pasadena, soon assuming the pastorate of the Lamanda Park M. E. Church, where he became in civic as well as religious life a strong factor.

A year ago his health broke again and he reluctantly asked to be relieved of his duties and the request was as reluctantly granted. He is now in the Pasadena Hospital where Mrs. Hartzell is in constant attendance.

The dying minister's mother, a notable leader in the good works of the church, passed away but a few weeks ago. This was a heart-breaking blow to the patient.

STUDY IN CHINTZ.

"A Study in Chintz," an old-fashioned dance in a new-world setting, old-fashioned dresses with new-fashioned faces, old themes joyfully intermingled with ultra-modern ideas, sums up the delightful Olden Days Ball given at the Hotel Green last evening.

Beneath the bright lights on the glistening ballroom floor swayed and dipped and courtesied myriad figures in printed chintz in many patterns and styles. It was a wonderfully beautiful affair, one of the most charming of the season.

A large number of guests and swagger Pasadena and Los Angeles folk entertained parties of friends at dinner in advance of the dance. Among those who entertained were: Miss Frances Miller, Col. and Mrs. Edwin Francis Holmes, Mrs. F. E. Smith, Mrs. John H. Gauger, Mr. and Mrs. William E. Grattan, Mr. and Archibold, Mrs. Hare, Mrs. King, Mrs. Peters, Mrs. Langan, Mrs. Hare, Mrs. Ethel Thomas, Mrs. Frederick Smith, Mrs. William Mason and Mrs. William Tomkins.

CITY BRIEFS.

Charles Rhodemeyer of Fon-du-Lac, Wis., arrived here yesterday on a world-wide search for a brother who has been missing twenty years. Six years ago the Fon-du-Lac man lost his wife and children and other members of his family in a squall on Lake Michigan when a steamer on which they were passengers was overturned, and since that time he has spent every minute of his time searching for his only living relative — the brother who left home when a boy.

If a burglar enters your home and the police find a dainty footprint in the yard the logical conclusion is that the thief is a woman. Some time between noon and late Sunday night the screen at the back door of the home of F. E. Williams, No. 677 Galena avenue, was cut and whoever got into the house with a pass-key stole jewelry and female attire valued at $80. A woman's footprint at the rear of the house, and the fact that the intruder drank a bottle of milk from the ice box, are viewed in the light of clews.

A somewhat similar burglary was committed Sunday at the residence of Ed Michener, No. 560 North Los Robles avenue, the jewelry being worth $93. No woman's footprints were found there, so the police are "in the dark" on this case.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Crane, dancers, who will make their first California appearance since their eastern tour at Hotel Huntington tomorrow night, as the stellar attractions of a supper-dance, will also be at the Maryland dansant Friday afternoon. Tomorrow night every other form of entertainment at the two hotels will give way to the Cranes at the Huntington. This afternoon at 4 o'clock there will be a Valentine party at the Maryland for the children of both hotels.

Crane Gartz, young millionaire club man, tennis and golf player and one of the most prominent society men in the Crown City, will leave at 1 o'clock this afternoon over the Santa Fe for New York, whence he will sail for France to operate an aeroplane for the allies. He also has an ambulance over there which he will drive part of the time. He will be joined in Chicago by his friend, Gregory Vigeant, Jr., who will be his partner. He will live with his aunt, Mrs. Chadbourne of Paris.

John J. Mitchell, president of the Illinois Trust and Savings Bank of Chicago, and James C. Hutchins, director and general attorney of the bank, arrived here yesterday on their private car Mayflower from Chicago. Both men were accompanied by their wives. The Mitchells have gone to their winter home, No. 325 Bellevieu drive, while the Hutchins are domiciled at the Raymond Hotel. Later in the week Mr. Mitchell's brother-in-law and sister, Dr. and Mrs. Charles Adams, will arrive on their way to Honolulu.

Because of continued illness Jane Addams, noted social worker, writer and speaker of Chicago, who was expected at the Hotel Maryland Wednesday, has canceled her reservation there for the time being, but, according to the hotel management, she will be here some time this spring.

Charles Warner Barnard, author and inventor, of No. 373 South Catalina avenue, celebrated his birthday anniversary yesterday and advised his dinner guests to eat what they wanted if they wished to live to a ripe old age—but to always keep sweet-tempered and to be temperate in all things. He attributes his own long life and splendid health to his sunny disposition and to the fact that he never took up health fads, but eats what he wants.

The Victor Marsh Co., 64 S. Raymond ave., Pasadena, has secured by arrangement with the Japanese Exhibitors' Association some of the most important exhibits from the Panama-Pacific International Exposition, San Francisco, and San Diego exposition. In the collection are the works of the best-known artists of Japan, who were awarded grand prize medals. The Victor Marsh Gallery will be open all day Tuesday, February 15, and Wednesday, February 16, for a public view of these wonderful works of art, and the collections will be disposed of at public auction absolutely without reserve, starting Thursday, February 17, at 10:30 a.m. The sale will be under the direction of the well-known art expert, Mr. J. Lean Phillips. Illustrated catalogues will be furnished on application.—[Advertisement.

Rare old Chinese gilt carvings for lamps, mirror frames, screens and decorations. Finest assortment in the West at Grace Nicholson's Famous, Pasadena, Cal.—[Advertisement.

Rare Indian baskets. Wigwam, 61 North Euclid.—[Advertisement.

Hotel Vista del Arroyo, Pasadena. —[Advertisement.

EXCHANGE CLOTHES IN DRUNKEN SPREE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN DIEGO, Feb. 14.—Found with another man's watch in his possession and wearing the other man's vest and coat, James M. Piersoll of Sawtelle is in the County Jail on a charge of having stolen the watch.

At first Piersoll professed ignorance of any knowledge of the watch, but afterwards told a strange story of finding himself on a boat bound for San Diego in a friend's clothing after a protracted spree.

Piersoll says he and Frank Hill, also of Sawtelle, had been on a long spree at Hill's home in Los Angeles and the next thing he knew he awoke on the steamer not knowing whither it was bound and wearing Hill's clothes.

Piersoll was arrested on a telegraphic warrant from Los Angeles and is held waiting the officers from the North. He says he is sure Hill must be wearing his clothes.

FOREHEAD LAID OPEN.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

POMONA, Feb. 14. — Mrs. Lena Doderer of this city had her forehead laid open for a distance of several inches today, when an auto in which she was riding ran into a chuckhole near Cucamonga and tossed her so high in the back seat that her head struck the top of the machine.

TO GET TEACHERS JOBS.

A university bureau which shall secure positions in the teaching profession for graduates without any cost to them is one of the plans of the graduate students at the University of Southern California, who recently held a meeting to work out plans for this purpose. Under the new plan graduates will register with the university's bureau, and will be notified when positions are open for them.

CONFLICTING CLAIMS.

Nicholas Banaz and Bernard O. A. Molitz have adjoining homestead entries near Brawley, but both need a ten-acre piece to square their present holdings and happen to claim the same one. In a hearing of their claims before Register Roche and Receiver Mitchell of the Land Office yesterday Mr. Banaz stated that the trouble is due to contradictory and conflicting entries. Mr. Molitz took the other end of the argument, asserting that the ten acres are within his described area.

Venice.

"COMMITTEE OF FIFTEEN" HEARS AUDITOR'S REPORT.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

VENICE, Feb. 14.—Amid a lively scene, with cross-arguments between the Venice City Trustees and members of the committee of fifteen of the Venice Municipal League, the Auditor's report of the financial condition of Venice at the time it was first made, last August, was filed officially with the City Clerk at a special meeting of the Trustees tonight.

City Attorney Hanna, who filed the report, recommended that it be referred to the Finance Committee of the board for examination and correction.

Mr. Hanna stated that among other alleged errors in the report is one covering some twenty or more items on the last page relating to legal advertising, in which, he said, the report claimed that legal advertising was published seven or eight times instead of once. He said this is an error.

Earlier in the day the board had been served with a written demand, presented by an attorney of F. A. Bell, one of the committee of fifteen, on City Clerk Thatcher and the board for a copy of the Auditor's report made last August.

On account of City Attorney Hanna's absence from the city the Trustees decided to hold a special meeting tonight to receive the report.

In explaining why they had not made the report, for which the Venice league has made demand on various occasions, the Trustees said that it has been in the hands of the District Attorney.

Trustee Pinkerton, however, admitted that he had a copy of the report, but did not have it at the time.

Members of the committee of fifteen were rebuked by Trustee Smart for criticising the actions of the board. Replies were made by members of the committee.

Long Beach.

TOURISTS TRAVEL TO LONG BEACH.

WINTER BUSINESS AS LARGE AS IN THE SUMMER TIME.

Railroads Handle Large Eastern Traffic to Beach City—Retired Merchant Drinks Poison Instead of Cold Remedy—Angeleno Ad Club to be Guests.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

LONG BEACH, Feb. 14.—Officials of the three transcontinental railroads having offices here unite in saying that the traffic from the eastern States to this city is the heaviest it has ever been at this time. They state that more than 100 tourists are arriving daily in Long Beach and that the city has entertained between 7000 and 8000 winter visitors during the past four months.

Very few apartment-houses within two blocks of the ocean have any rooms left for newcomers. Hotel Virginia has very few suites vacant, with reservations coming in every day. The unusually heavy inbound traffic presages a long winter tourist season, according to Agent Guy of the Southern Pacific. A tour around the city discloses very few houses for rent, and directors of the Chamber of Commerce are claiming that Long Beach has as good a winter tourist season as a summer season.

DRINKS POISON.

V. E. Walker, a retired hardware merchant living at No. 540 West Fifth street, drank eczema cure by mistake today and is under a doctor's care. Mr. Walker arose early and, groping about his medicine cabinet, grasped a bottle which looked and felt like a vial of medicine given him by his doctor for colds. He suffered great pain shortly after he had drunk the external remedy, which contained mercury, and a physician stated that the effect of the eczema cure was the same as if Mr. Walker had taken bichloride of mercury in moderate amounts. He will recover.

AD CLUB GUESTS.

Members of the Los Angeles Ad Club will be guests of the local Ad Club Wednesday noon when a banquet at Hotel Virginia will start talks which will boost this city and Southern California. Manager Nestle of the hotel has made a special low rate for the meal and more than 100 visitors from Los Angeles are expected to attend. Dr. George P. Taubman, pastor of the First Christian Church, will be chairman. Prominent men from Los Angeles will speak upon the new affiliation of boosters from both cities.

ARCHITECT CHOSEN.

W. Horace Austin of this city has been chosen by the Board of Education as the architect to design two intermediate schools for which the voters are expected to sanction a bond issue in the near future. Many outside architects submitted their plans and bids at an executive session of the board but were turned down for the local man. The field was limited to certified architects and, besides Mr. Austin, H. A. Anderson, E. L. Mayberry, F. L. Lindsey, J. M. Cooper and George S. Higby, all of Long Beach, applied for the job.

MELBA TO SING.

Madam Melba, the renowned singer, who has given thousands of dollars to the European Red Cross societies, will sing here in concert Saturday. Although she has seldom sung to less than $3000 audiences, she telegraphed from Fresno today that school pupils of the city would be admitted at a low rate. A large number of the students of the High School are preparing to attend. Manager Behymer has secured the Auditorium for the diva.

Make reservations early. Supper dance, Arrowhead Hot Springs, February 19.—[Advertisement.

Sierra Madre.

THE WATER QUESTION.

Sierra Madre Irrigators Kick on Decreased Rates to Domestic Users Because It will not Reduce Irrigation Rates—Agreement Plays Factor.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SIERRA MADRE, Feb. 14. — Domestic water users were given a reduction of 25 cents a month at the last meeting of the Board of Trustees, the former rate of $1.25 net being cut to $1 with the usual penalty of 25 cents if not paid within a certain date.

This reduction does not meet with the approval of the irrigators, or heavy users of water, and they express dissatisfaction over the change, as a tentative arrangement was made with the irrigators when the municipality acquired the control of the water company to furnish them with water at cost whenever practicable.

The water department now has a surplus of nearly $8000. There are about 600 domestic consumers who will benefit by this reduction. Many of these are transients, while the irrigators own large tracts of land and have been complaining of the high water rates, which in many cases have compelled them to give up their arboriculture pursuits and subdivide their land. An agreement was drawn up some time ago by Judge Hewitt of the Superior Court and the City Attorney whereby this policy of benefiting the irrigators would be followed out.

The large consumers of water are planning action to maintain their rights, which they assert have been violated by the present administration. Politics is blamed by some.

Steamers daily to Coronado.—Advertisement.

BROKEN PROMISE?

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHINO, Feb. 14.—N. Romo, notorious blindpigger who to dodge six months in jail took a solemn oath in court here several months ago that he would never again deal in liquor, is in the toils again. He was arrested by Constable Tebo when a Mexican claimed he was abused by Romo after having purchased liquor from him.

Polo now at Coronado.—[Advertisement.

Washington's Birthday— Closed all day. VILLE de PARIS

San Diego.

HELP FOR RANCHERS.

Rural Loan Association Organized by Business Men of San Diego to Help Flood Sufferers Make Repairs. Delay on Roads Because of Disagreements.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SAN DIEGO, Feb. 14. — Business men have organized the Rural Loan Association to assist ranchers who have lost their property in the flood to regain a footing. The sum of $100,000 will be raised to be loaned out to the ranchers on long terms and at a nominal rate of interest, with which to buy farm implements, stock and building materials.

Various business men have subscribed large amounts for the fund and an investigating committee will visit the stricken districts and report as to conditions and make recommendations. George H. Marston and other men said they would give several months of their time to the work of rehabilitating the back-country farmers.

The trustees of the organization are: H. H. Jones, Chairman; Melville Klauber, Senator Leroy Wright, W. S. Dorland and J. W. Sefton, Jr.

REBUILDING DELAYED.

Because the good roads convention could not agree upon a method of organization to take charge of the work necessary to be done on roads and bridges in the county, the work of rebuilding the roads to Los Angeles and other points is still delayed.

The fourth meeting of County Supervisors and members of civic organizations and other citizens was held yesterday. Various estimates of the amount necessary to repair the damage done by the floods were submitted, ranging from several thousand up to $2,000,000.

Part of the convention favored a plan for the Supervisors to appoint a highway commission of three members, as required by State law, to investigate upon the condition of roads, culverts and bridges, and take charge of the work.

Another plan is for an advisory board of three members to act without compensation with the Supervisors in the expenditure of the money the people will vote for that purpose.

Meanwhile no work can be started on the roads.

Spend a week at Hotel del Coronado. Steamer service daily.—[Advertisement.

SUITS OF FORECLOSURE.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

VISALIA, Feb. 14.—Eleven suits in foreclosure have been filed in the Superior Court here against various owners of property in the D-street residence district in Porterville, the Federal Construction Company requesting the court to make liens of record against the individual owners. This is the second answer of the construction company to suits which have been filed against the paving corporation to resist payment of certain street bonds issued by the city, and which are being fought on the allegation that the work was not done according to contract.

Balmy weather at Coronado Beach. —[Advertisement.

MEXICAN PISTOL DUEL.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

BAKERSFIELD, Feb. 14.—M. Gaudaloupe was killed and Manuel Garcia received wounds from which he will die in a three-cornered pistol duel here tonight. Joe Hurtado, who is being held by the police and who was accompanying Garcia but is said to have taken no part in the fight, stated to the police that he could give no motive for the shooting. Hurtado alleges that he and Garcia were accosted by Gaudaloupe and another Mexican, who immediately opened fire. The police are searching for the fourth combatant.

SOLDIERS' HOME DEATHS.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SOLDIERS' HOME, Feb. 14.—Recent deaths at this place are: Freeman L. Stinchfield, formerly of Co. G, One Hundred and Forty-first Illinois Infantry, a native of Maine, admitted from Los Angeles in 1908, died February 7, aged 76.

James M. Van Deusen, formerly of Co. C, Sixty-ninth Indiana Infantry, a native of New York, admitted from Salem, Or., in 1895, died February 9, aged 80.

Dell M. Lowell, formerly of Co. M, Thirty-fifth United States Volunteer Infantry (Philippine insurrection,) a native of Minnesota, admitted from San Diego, Cal., in 1915, died February 9, aged 41.

John T. Sullivan, formerly of Co. E, First Massachusetts Cavalry, a native of Ireland, admitted from Los Angeles in 1916, died February 10, aged 74.

Leander E. Fish, formerly of the Twentieth Battery Indiana Light Artillery, a native of Ohio, admitted from Los Angeles in 1914, died February 12, aged 71.

OUTSIDE DEATHS.

Nelson P. Andrews, formerly of Co. A, Eighty-fifth New York Infantry (nonmember,) a native of New York, died in Los Angeles February 5, aged 84. Remains sent here for burial.

Alvin H. Coe, formerly of Co. D, Thirty-third Iowa Infantry, a native of Iowa, admitted from Ashland, Or., in 1904, died at Redondo, Cal., February 5, aged 71. Burial in Home cemetery.

VILLE de PARIS WILL OBSERVE WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY By Remaining Closed

BEGIN HOT WATER DRINKING IF YOU DON'T FEEL RIGHT

Says glass of hot water with phosphate before breakfast washes out poisons.

If you wake up with a bad taste, bad breath and tongue is coated; if your head is dull or aching; if what you eat sours and forms gas and acid in stomach, or you are bilious, constipated, nervous, sallow and can't get feeling just right, begin inside bathing. Drink before breakfast, a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it. This will flush the poisons and toxins from stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels and cleanse, sweeten and purify the entire alimentary tract. Do your inside bathing immediately upon arising in the morning to wash out of the system all the previous day's poisonous waste, gases and sour bile before putting more food into the stomach.

To feel like young folks feel; like you felt before your blood, nerves and muscles became loaded with body impurities, get from your pharmacist a quarter pound of limestone phosphate which is inexpensive and almost tasteless, except for a sourish twinge which is not unpleasant.

Just as soap and hot water act on the skin, cleansing, sweetening and freshening, so hot water and limestone phosphate act on the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels. Men and women who are usually constipated, bilious, headachy or have any stomach disorder should begin this inside bathing before breakfast. They are assured they will become real cranks on the subject shortly.

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Stocks and Bonds.

METAL SHARES DOMINATE BULK OF SPECULATION.

Refined Copper is Quoted at Twenty-seven and a Half for June Delivery and Shares of Producing Companies Rise Accordingly—Oils and Motors are Fairly Active, but War Issues are Inclined to Sag.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Metal shares commanded the bulk of speculative attention in today's dull and irregular market, with new high records for Anaconda, Utah, Butte and Superior, Shattuck, Arizona and Chino, while American Zinc also touched a new maximum. Gains in this group ranged from 1 to 3 points, but much of this advantage was forfeited at the end. The further rise was attributed mainly to yet another advance in the price of refined copper, a quotation of 27½ cents being fixed by producers and dealers for June delivery. Boston and New England commission houses were heavy buyers of the copper stocks. Oils, General Motors and New York Air Brake constituted the other irregularly strong features for a time, but the general movement in that quarter was conflicting. Among the recognised war shares Crucible Steel, Baldwin Locomotive and American Car were inclined to sag, this same condition applying to fertilizers, distillers' securities, United States Industrial Alcohol, and a half-score of specialties, whose movements are largely governed by the rise and fall of the munitions division. Mercantile Marine preferred was weak, losing 4¼ points at 71, and Mexican ePtroleum yielded at the close. Distinct heaviness prevailed among the rails from the outset, Canadian Pacific scoring an extreme loss of 3½ at 172, while St. Paul, New York Central, Reading, New Haven, Chesapeake and Ohio and Erie were 1 to 2 points lower. United States Steel was another unsettling feature, persistent pressure affecting an extreme loss of 1¼ at 83⅝. Total sales of stocks amounted to 653,000 shares. Bonds were irregular throughout, with a continuance of the recent activity in Anglo-French 5s at concessions. Total sales of bonds, par value, aggregated $3,580,000. United States issues and Panamas advanced ½ per cent. on call.

STOCK SALES COMPARED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 14.—Following is comparison of today's stock and bond sales:

COMPARISON OF BOND SALES.

Total sales, February 14, 1916	$ 3,580,000
Same day of week last year	2,191,000
From January 3 to date	152,927,050
Same period in 1915	77,505,000

COMPARISON OF STOCK SALES.

Total sales, February 14, 1916	640,783 shares
Same day of week last year	222,115 shares
From January 3 to date	21,920,200 shares
Same period in 1915	8,029,861 shares

STOCK QUOTATIONS IN NEW YORK.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Van Nuys Bldg., Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, May 14.—Following were the closing prices, sales, and high and low quotations to—

Sales—		High.	Low.	Bid.	Asked.
500	Alaska	21¼	20¾	21	21⅜
	Atlantic C. L.			80	90
1,100	Allis Chalmers	31½	30½	30½	30¾
1,700	Allis Coal, pfd.	82	81½	82	83½
400	Am. Agr. Chem.	71	71	69	71½
	Am. Agr. Chem. pfd.			107	108
	Am. Beet Sugar			31	35
1,100	Am. Can Co.	49½	48¾	49	49¾
400	Am. C. & F. pfd.	117⅝	117⅝	117⅝	118
7,800	Am. Can Co.	49½	48¾	49	49¾
300	Am. Can Co. pfd.	119⅝	119⅝	119	119½
300	Am. Coal P. com.	170	167	168½	167
	Am. Coal P. pfd.			115	116½
1,700	Am. Beet Sugar	35¼	35¼	34	35
	Am. Sugar pfd.			94	95
500	Am. Cotton Oil	55½	55½	54½	55
	Am. Col. Oil pfd.			90	92
1,400	Am. Ice Securities	51	50	50¾	51
	Am. Express			135	150
	Am. Hide & L.	10¼	10¼	10	10¾
	Am. Hide & L. pfd.	49	49	48	50
	Am. S. & L.	30	30	30	32
	Am. Linseed	42	41½	42	43
	Am. Linseed pfd.	83	81½	82	83½
7,000	Am. Locomotive	57¾	56¾	56¾	57
200	Am. Loco. pfd.	102½	102½	105	107
100	Am. Steel Fdy.	57¾	57¾	56½	58
11,700	Am. S. & R. Co.	103⅝	101¾	102	102½
1,200	Am. S. & R. pfd.	113⅝	113⅝	113	114
100	Am. Smelting	107½	107½	107	108
200	Am. Sugar pfd.	112	112	111	112
	Am. Beet pfd.			100	110
1,600	Am. Tel. & Tel.	127½	127½	127	127½
600	Am. Tob. Co.	196½	196½	195	196½
100	Am. Tob. Co. pfd.	105½	105½	105	105½
1,100	Am. Woolen	49	48¾	49	49½
100	Am. Woolen pfd.	97½	97½	97	97¾
	Anaconda	92¾	90¾	90¾	90¾
300	A. T. & S. F.	100¾	100¾	100	100¾
200	A. T. & S. F. pfd.	101¾	101	101	101¾
28,800	Baldwin Loco.	111¾	111¾	111¾	112
	Do. pfd.			110	110½
1,600	Balt. & Ohio	85¾	84¾	87¾	88
	Balt. & O. pfd.			87	88
100	Bethlehem Steel	470	470	460	471
1,000	Bethlehem Steel pfd.	445	445	440	450
	Brooklyn R. T.	80¾	80	80¾	80¾
1,000	Brooklyn R. T.	85¾	85	85¾	85¾
300	Cal. Petrol. Co.	22	21¾	22	22¼
1,400	Canadian Pacific	173	171¾	172	172¾
2,100	Chino	49¾	48¾	48¾	49
2,200	C. & O.	57¾	57¾	57¾	57¾
6,000	Central Leather	54¾	53¾	53¾	54
	Central Leather pfd.			110	110½
	Central of N. J.			270	280
	Chicago & Alton			10	12
	C. & A. pfd.			30	40
	C. & G. W.			14	14¾
100	C. & G. W. pfd.	56	55	54	56
1,000	C. R. I. & P.	65¾	65	65	65¾
200	Do. pfd.	125	125¾	124½	125
	C. C. C. & St. L.			90	95
	Do. pfd.			80	90
4,800	Colo. Fuel & Iron	47¾	46¾	47¾	47¾
	Colo. Southern			43	44
	Colo. So. 1st pfd.			43	52
	Colo. So. 2nd pfd.			30	40
	Consolidated Gas	135¾	134½	134½	135
8,800	Corn Products	22¾	21¾	21¾	22
100	Do. pfd.	96¾	96¾	96¾	97¼
60,000	Crucible S. com.	65¾	64¾	64¾	65
400	Crucible S. pfd.	115	114	115	115½
	Del. & Hudson			150	152½
	D. L. & W.			250	260
	D. & R. G.			20	21
	D. & R. G. pfd.			19	20
3,600	Distilling Sec.	48¼	47¾	47	47¾
	D. S. R. & A.			4¾	5
	D. S. R. & A. pfd.			10	12
1,800	Erie	21¾	21¾	21	21¾
1,200	Erie 1st pfd.	34¾	33¾	33¾	34
	Erie 2nd pfd.			24	24½
	Gen. Electric	151	150¾	150¾	151
600	Gen. Motors	482	480	479	482
	Gen. Motors pfd.			113¾	114
1,400	Goodrich Rubber	72¾	72¾	72¾	73
	Do. pfd.	103	103	103	104
200	Gt. Northern pfd.	122½	122	122½	123
	Gt. Nor. Ore Ctfs.	49¾	49¾	49	49¾
	Greene Cananea	49¾	49¾	49	49¾
1,200	Gt. No. Ore Ctfs.	49¾	49¾	49	49¾
1,200	Illinois Central	104½	103¾	103¾	104
90,000	Inspiration Copper	47¾	46¾	46¾	47
3,000	Int. Harv. com.	110¾	110¼	110¼	110¾
	Int. Harv. pfd.			114	119
700	Int. Nickel	34¾	34¼	34¼	34¾
700	Int. Paper	31¾	31¾	31¾	32
	Int. Paper pfd.			94	96
1,600	Int. M. M.	47¾	47¾	47¾	48
	Int. M. M. pfd.			117¾	118
	Kansas City So.			27	34
	Kansas City So. pfd.			54	55½
800	Kennecott	33¾	33¾	33¾	34
	Lehigh Valley			145	150
	Louis. & Nash.	139½	139	139	139½
	Louis. & Nash. pfd.			120	130
	Manhattan			56	58
	Do. pfd.			90½	91¼
	Marine			27	28
	Marine pfd.			71	72
800	Mex. Petrol.	99¾	98¾	98¾	99
	Mex. Petrol. pfd.			102	103
3,500	Miami Copper Co.	37¾	37¼	37¼	37¾
	Minn. & St. L.			30	32
	Do. 1st pfd.			50	52
	M. St. P. & S.S.M.			121¾	122
	Do. pfd.			135	135¼
	Mo. K. & T.			15	15¾
	Mo. K. & T. pfd.			14¾	15
	Mo. K. & T. Texas			28	28¾
	Mo. K. & T. Texas pfd.			59	60
800	Mont. Power com.	74	73¾	74	74¾
	Mont. Power pfd.			112	114
200	Nat. Biscuit	114¾	114¾	114	114¾
	Nat. Biscuit pfd.				120
1,800	National Lead	71¾	70	69¾	70¼
	Nat'l Lead pfd.			112¾	113¼
	Nat'l Biscuit			121	122
	Nat'l Biscuit pfd.			118	119
100	Nat'l Enamel	27	27	27	28
	Nat'l Enamel pfd.			86	89
	Nevada Con.	18¾	18¾	18¾	18¾
	N. Y. Air Brake	151¾	146	150¾	151
3,400	N. Y. Central	107⅛	105⅝	105¾	106¼
	N. Y. C. & St. L.			39	43
	Do. pfd.			80	91
	N. Y. O. & W.			28	28¼
700	Norfolk & W.	117⅝	116¾	116	116¾
	N. & W. pfd.			85	85¾
	North American			69¾	70
2,500	Northern Pacific	114½	114	113¾	114
	Omaha			115	125
	Omaha pfd.			132½	134
100	Pacific Mail	16¾	16	16¾	16¾
	Pac. Tel. & Tel.			26¾	27¾
	Pac. T. & T. pfd.			85	90
1,100	Penn. R. R. Co.	57¾	57¼	57	57½
200	People's Gas	104	104	104	105
1,000	Pitts. Coal	32¾	31¾	31¾	32½
	Pitts. Coal pfd.			107	108
2,500	Pressed Steel Car	68¾	67¾	67¾	67¾
	Pull. Steel Car pfd.			102	104
	P. C. C. & St. L.			70	80
	Do. pfd.			88	90
100	Pullman	159	158	163½	164
12,600	Ray Cons.	25¾	25¼	25¼	25¾
1,500	Ry. Steel Springs	43	41¾	41¾	42¾
	Ry. Steel S. pfd.			98¾	100
800	Reading	79¾	79	79¾	79¾
	Reading 1st pfd.			43¾	44½
	Reading 2nd pfd.			41¾	42¾
8,500	Republic I. & S.	54¾	53¾	53¾	54
	Do. pfd.			110	110½
200	Rock Island	19¾	19	19	19¾
	Rock Island pfd.	⅞	⅞	⅞	1
	Sinclair				15
	Smelter				28
100	Southern Air Line	17¼	17	17	17¾
	Do. pfd.	38	38	38	39
200	Sears Roebuck Co.	180	180	180	182¾
	Do. pfd.				126½
	Southern R. R. & S.	50	49¾	50	50
150	Southern R. R. & S. pfd.	93	93	93	93
	St. L. & S. F. com.				4½
	Do. 1st pfd.				8
	Do. 2nd pfd.				7¾
	St. L. & S. W.				17
	Do. pfd.				45
3,700	Southern Pacific	100⅝	99¾	100¾	100
900	Southern Railway	21¾	20¾	21	21¾
600	Southern Ry. pfd.	59	58¾	59¼	60
2,900	Studebaker com.	154½	151¾	152	152¾
200	Studebaker pfd.	112	112	113	113
300	Third Ave. Ry.	61	60¾	60¾	61
3,200	Texas Co.	150¾	149¾	150	150¾
3,200	Texas Oil	214½	212¾	213¾	213¾
500	Texas Pacific	7	6¾	6¾	7
	Tex. P. L. & W.				9
	Do. pfd.				45
200	Twin City R. T.	95¼	95¼	95¼	96
600	U. B. & P. Co.	74	73¾	73¾	74
600	U. B. & P. Co. pfd.			28	31
2,600	Union Pacific	134¼	134¼	134½	134⅝
500	U. P. pfd.	84	83¾	83¾	84
20,000	U. S. Rubber	53¾	52¾	52¾	53
1,000	U. S. Cast I. Pipe	23	22¾	22¾	23
	Do. pfd.			85	87
	U. S. Express			45	50
	U. S. Industrial Alcohol			107	108
1,000	U. S. Rubber	53	52¾	52¾	53
200	U. S. R. 1st pfd.	107¼	107¼	106¾	107
	U. S. R. 2d pfd.			85	87
60,000	U. S. Steel Cor.	84¾	83¾	83¾	83¾
100	U. S. Steel pfd.	117¾	117⅝	117	117¼
1,000	Va. Car. Chem.	47¾	46⅝	47¼	47¾
	Va. Car. C. pfd.			109	110
	Va. Coal & Coke			55	58
600	Wabash	15¾	14¾	14¾	15
2,500	Wabash pfd.	28¾	27¾	27¾	28
1,800	Wabash pfd. "B"	28¾	27¾	28	28¾
	Wells-Fargo Ex.			125	130
500	Western Union	69¼	68¾	68¾	69¼
8,100	Westinghouse	68	67	67¾	68
	Do. 1st pfd.			78	79
	Western Md. com.			27¾	28
	Western Md. pfd.			27¾	28¼
	W. & L. E.			3¼	3¾
	Do. 1st pfd.			12	15
	Do. 2nd pfd.			3¾	4
500	Wilys Overland	218	217	215	218
100	Do. pfd.	105	105	102	105
	Wisconsin Central			58	59¾
500	Woolworth com.	122¾	122	122	124½
	Woolworth pfd.			122	124
6,400	United Fruit	148¾	146	146	146½
	United Storage Bat.			65	68
1,200	Alaska Junean	9¾	9¼	9¼	9¾
	Shattuck	40¾	38¾	39¾	39¾
600	Associated Oil	67¾	66¾	66	67¾
10,400	Marine com.	17	15	15¾	16
45,400	Marine pfd.	75	71	71¾	71¾
400	Ontario Silver	8	8	8¾	8¾
400	Granby Copper	98	96¼	96¼	97
	Holly Dep'k, Sucrez			50	55
	Do. pfd.			105	105½
500	Big Dome	29¼	29	29	29½

Total sales—657,800 shares.

Money opened at 2 per cent; lowest, 1¾ per cent.; last loan, 2 per cent.; closed, 1¾@2 per cent

NEVADA MINE STOCKS SALES AND RANGE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 14. — Following are sales and range of quotations:

Sales.	Goldfield—	High.	Low.	Bid.	—Close— Asked.
2,000	Atlanta	.11	.10	.11	.12
1,500	Bond	.38	.35	.38	.39
	Blue Bird			.05	.06
	C. G. D.			.07	.08
	Comb. Frac.			.07	.08
	Daisy			.02	.03
	Dod. E. R.			.06	.09
200	Florence	.40	.40	.49	.50
500	Florida	.92	.92	.92	.94
2,900	Jumbo Ex.	1.17½	1.15	1.12½	
	Lone Star			.03	.04
1,200	Morgan	.17	.16	.17	.18
3,000	Sportsman	.10	.10	.10	.11
	Silver Pick			.03	.04
	Vernal			.02	.04
1,800	Yellow Tiger	.03	.02	.02	.03
	Ore			.05	.06
	Sandstorm			.06	.08
	Kawana			.17	.18
	Manhattan—				
	Big Four			.04	.05
	Easter Dawn			.01	.02
	Gold Bullion			.01	.02
	Mon. Con.			.01	.02
	Man. Dexter			.01	.02
3,000	White Cap.	.08	.08	.08	.07
	Comstock—				
2,500	Con. Virginia	.08	.07	.07	.08
500	Candelaria			.20	.05
	Hale & Nor.				.20
1,700	Mexican	.20	.18	.18	.19
2,200	Ophir	.18	.16	.17	.18
	Overman				.15
1,400	Sierra Nev.	.21	.18	.18	.19
3,400	Union	.46	.43	.43	.44
	Tonopah—				
	Belmont			4.35	4.40
1,600	Cash Boy	.04	.04	.03	.04
	Dipsy Queen			.01	.02
500	Jim Butler	.09	.08	.08	.09
500	Midway	.16	.16	.16	.17
1,000	Mon. P. Ex.	.05	.05	.05	.06
	Montana			.25	.30
	Tonopah Ex.			.03	.04
	McNam.			.01	.02
2,500	North Star	.15	.15	.14	.16
	Rescue Eula			.02	.03
	Pow. of N.			6.50	
	Tonopah Ex.			4.40	4.50
5,000	Unatilla	.01	.01	.01	.02
800	West End	.78	.78	.78	.79
	Miscellaneous—				
	Ariz. T. Read				.18
	F. S. Peak			.06	.10
	Ner. Mills			.17	.20
2,000	Round Mt.	.55	.55	.54	.56
3,100	Rochester	.80	.80	.80	.81
5,000	Big Jim	1.40	1.35	1.35	1.37½

STOCK PRICES ON CHICAGO EXCHANGE.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Van Nuys Bldg., Los Angeles.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 14.—Following are closing quotations:

Stocks—	Bid.	Close— Asked.
American Can com.	49¾	49¾
American Can pfd.	110¾	111¼
American Ship com.	38¼	39
American Ship pfd.	80¾	82
Booth Fisheries com.	27	28
Booth Fisheries pfd.	97	98
Chicago City Railways	99¾	100
Chicago City Railways 2nd	18	18¾
Chicago City Railways 3d	3¼	4
Chicago City Railways 4th	1¼	1½
Chicago Elevated Railways com.		35
Chicago Railways "A"	90¾	91¼
Chicago Railways "B"	71½	72
Chicago Railways "C"	84	
Chicago Elevated Railways pfd.		70
Chicago Title & Trust	220	230
Commonwealth Edison	144	144½
Diamond Match	100	100¾
R. C. Ry. & L. com.	22¾	23¼
R. C. Ry. & L. pfd.	84	84¾
National Biscuit com.	121	124
National Biscuit pfd.	124	126
National Carbon com.	132	135
National Carbon pfd.	121½	123
People's Gas	104	104½
Pneumatic Tool	72½	73
Quaker Oats com.	225	250
Quaker Oats pfd.	108	110
Sears Roebuck com.	180	183
Sears Roebuck pfd.	126½	
Stewart-Warner com.	88	88½
Stewart-Warner pfd.	108	
Streets com.	1	2
Swift & Co.	126	126½
Union Carbide	175	175¾

COPPER IS FIRM, TIN, LEAD STEADY.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Copper, firm; electrolytic, near-by and June, 27.25@28.50; third quarter, 26.75@27.00. Tin, firm; spot, 41.47½. Lead, 6.15.

FINANCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE TIMES,
Los Angeles, Feb. 15, 1916.

Bank clearings yesterday were $5,963,454.86, an increase of $1,527,912.76, compared with the corresponding day last year.

	1916.	1915.	1914.
Monday	$5,963,454.86	$4,325,542.10	$4,720,427.15

Upward.

STOCKS ADVANCE ON LOCAL EXCHANGE.

IMPROVED TONE MANIFESTED IN TRADING.

Led by Big Jim, Most of Oatmans Climb Higher—Ivanhoe Continues to Sell Under Pressure—Union Oil Brings Better Prices—Home Telephone Common in Demand.

Higher prices were the order of the day at the first session of the stock exchange for the current week. Practically all the active traders in the oil and mining lists showed improvement, and the volume of sales was heavier than usual. Union Oil advanced to 71.50, and Producers' Transportation was up half a point at 80.50. Home Telephone common was in good demand throughout the day, and a total of 110 shares changed hands at 23.00. The preferred stock, on the contrary, was rather unsteady, and sales were recorded at 69.00, a loss of a full point from Friday's close. The Oatmans and Consolidated Mines attracted a great deal of attention, with prices for Big Jim climbing to 1.37. Boundary Cone reached .39½, and Lucky Boy was in frequent call at .20. Fessenden was also very strong, and the stock mounted to .22¾ upon the report of excellent ore stringers encountered in the company's shaft. Although Ivanhoe was fairly active, the stock continued to sell on a low basis, and at figures not commensurate with the showing made by the other Oatmans. Consolidated Mines was very strong upon the statement that the company had uncovered several bodies of tungsten ore. Los Angeles Investment declined to .72½ as a result of lack of interest upon the part of the public.

LOCAL CLOSING.
STOCK QUOTATIONS.

[As posted at the Los Angeles Stock Exchange, I. W. Hellman Building.]

OIL LIST.

	Bid.	Asked.
Amalgamated Oil	$ 79.62½	
Associated Oil	68.50	
Central	.40	
Columbia	1.00	$ 1.10
Jade Oil Co.		.07½
Midway Northern	.17	
National Pacific Oil Co.	.05	.05½
Olinda Land Co. (Oil)	.28	
Traders' Oil Co.	25.00	
Union	70.50	
Union Provident Co.	70.50	71.00
United Petroleum	70.00	71.50
United Oil Co.	44¼	44¾
West Coast Oil pfd.	115.00	125.00

BANK LIST.

	Bid.	Asked.
Cal. Savings Bank		$138.00
Citizens' National	$248.00	250.00
Commercial National		220.00
Farmers' & Merchants' Nat.	210.00	
First National	630.00	
German-American Tr. & Sav.	357.50	380.00
Hellman Com. Tr. & Sav.		210.00
Home Sav. Bank of L. A.	137.50	
Hibernian Sav. Bank	125.00	
Merchants' National	225.00	325.00
National Bank of Cal.		250.00
Security Tr. & Sav. Bank	270.00	
U. S. National Bank	155.00	

INDUSTRIAL LIST.

	Bid.	Asked.
Cal. Hospital		$ 77.50
Consolidated Realty Co.	$ 65.00	65.00
Emergency Hospital	33.00	
Hawaiian Com. & Sug.	41.25	
Home Telephone pfd.	69.00	69.55
Home Telephone com.	22.87½	23.12½
Hutchinson S. P. Co.	25.12½	
L. A. Athletic Club	100.00	
L. A. Gaming Club	100.00	
L. A. Investment Co.	.71	.72½
Occidental Life Ins. Co.	125.00	
Pacaihau S. P. Co.	21.87½	
Pac. Mutual Life Ins. Co.	500.00	512.50
Producers' Transportation Co.	80.50	5.00
San Diego Home T. & T. Co.		
So. Cal. Edison Co.	101.00	90
So. Cal. Edison com.	91.00	
Title I. & Tr. Co.	150.00	
U. S. L. D. T. & T. Co. pfd.	10.50	21.00

BOND LIST.
(With Accrued Interest.)

	Bid.	Asked.
American Petroleum Co.	99	100
Associated Oil Co.	101½	104
Associated Oil Co., 1st Reg.	96¼	
California Pacific Ry.		94
Corona Power & Water Co.	97	
Cucamonga Water Co.	98	100
Edison Elec. Co., 1st Reg.	100	
Edison Elec. Co., old issue	90	
Home Telephone Co.	80¼	80½
Home Tel. Co., 1st Reg.	85¼	
Home Tel. & Tel. of S. D.	39	45
Huasteca Pipe Line	90	95
L. A. Gas & Elec. Co.	99	
L. A. Pac. 1st Con. Mtge.	97	
L. A. Pac. Ry., 1st Reg.		94
L. A. & Pasadena Elec. Ry.	95	
L. A. Public Market Co.	103	
L. A. Railway Co.	98½	
L. A. R. R. Corp. 5s	99	
L. A. Traction Co. 5s	91	93½
Mission Trans & R. Co.	96¼	98¼
Mt. Lowe Railway		85
Pac. Elec. Ry. Co.	96¾	97¼
Pac. Light & Power Co.	92	
Pac. L. & P. Gtd.	92	
Pasadena Home T. & T. Co.	94	
Pomona & Gd. L. & P. Co.	90	
Prod. Transportation Co.	98	98½
S. Monica Bay R. T. Co.	40	70
San Diego Con. T. & T. Co.	40	70
San Diego Home T. & T. Co.		45
Temescal Water Co.	100	
Traders' Oil Co.		99
Union Oil Co.		100¼
Union Transportation Co.	94½	95¾
U. S. L. D. T. & T. Co.		80
Whittier Home T. & T. Co.	79	

MINING LIST.

	Bid.	Asked.
Arizona Tom Reed	$ .15	$ .25
Argo Mines		.05
Big Jim Gold Mining Co.	1.36	1.37½
Boundary Cone	.39¼	.39¾
California Hills	.02	.03
Cons. Mines Co.	.03¾	.04
Dome Mining	.11¾	.12¾
Fessenden Gold	.22¼	.23
Gold Range	.10½	.11
Ivanhoe Con. Mines Co.	.20¼	.20¾
Jerome Oatman	.12	.20
Lucky Boy	.20	.20¾
Sunnyside Mining	.27½	
Tom Reed	1.46½	1.48
United Eastern	4.15	
United Western	.18¼	.20
Yellow Pine	1.20	1.50

SALES.

Morning session—

10,000	National Pacific	.05¼
10	Union Provident	70.50
15	Union Oil	71.50
5	Producers' Transportation	80.50
1,000	Boundary Cone	.39
1,000	Do.	.39¼
6,000	California Hills	.02
2,400	Big Jim	1.35
100	Do.	1.32
100	Do.	1.33½
200	Do.	1.34
200	Do.	1.35
7,000	Ivanhoe	.20¼
2,000	Do.	.20¾
1,500	Do.	.20¾
2,000	Do., buyer 30 days	.20¾
700	Lucky Boy	.20
13,000	Consolidated Mines	.03
8,000	Do.	.03¼

Afternoon session—

4,000	Boundary Cone	.39¼
100	Do.	.39¼
2,000	Do.	.39½
400	Big Jim	1.37½
200	Do.	1.37
200	Do., buyer 30 days	1.38
100	Tom Reed	1.48
2,000	Consolidated Mines	.03½
200	Ivanhoe	.20¾
6,000	Do.	.20¾
1,000	Do.	.22¾
500	Do.	.22¾
60	Home Telephone com.	23.00
10	Home Telephone pfd.	69.00
6,000	National Pacific	.05½
90	L. A. Investment	.73
100	Do.	.72½
3,000	Lucky Boy	.20
5	Union Oil, seller 5 days	71.00

Informal—

20	Union Oil	71.50
10	Union Provident	70.50
1	$1000 1st Reg. Home Tel. bond.	86
2,000	Arizona Tom Reed	.15½
1,000	Boundary Cone	.39¼
500	Big Jim	1.35
50	Home Telephone com.	23.00
1,000	Consolidated Mines	.03¾
10	Home Telephone pfd.	69.00

MEXICAN DOLLARS AND SIGHT DRAFTS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 14.—Mexican dollars, 41; drafts, sight, 1; drafts, telegraph, 3.

COMMERCIAL.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET.

A sharp advance in the price of live stock was one of the chief features of the provision market during the past week. Steers were raised 6½ and 7 cents a pound, heifers to 5½ and 6, cows to 5¼ and 5½; bulls to 4½ and 5¼, wethers to 6 and 6¼; ewes to 5¼ and 5⅝, lambs to 7½ and 7⅝; yearlings to 6¼ and 6½; and hogs to 7¼ and 7⅝. These higher prices are expected to remain for some time, and it is possible that even further advances may be incorporated at any time. The allies placing large orders in New York for meat, and the fact that the supply in this country has been shrinking steadily, are the main reasons given for the advanced quotations. Demand for hogs in particular has been unusually heavy, and has caused several sudden price advances in the last three months.

Another shipment of Florida tomatoes was received in Los Angeles yesterday, replenishing a supply that had become almost exhausted. Dealers had anticipated raising prices on the best grade of tomatoes Monday, but the arrival of the southern vegetable left the price at the old quitation of $2.75 a crate. Washington Baldwin apples have dropped off the market, and White Winter Pearmains are now worth $1.50 a box. Higher values for several cheese varieties were also noticed yesterday, a general advance of 1

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AND TO VOTE NEW WAR LOAN.

BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]
DON, Feb. 14.—It is expected
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lly that the vote will be for
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dits to £1,912,000,000.

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WHEAT STOCKS GROWING LARGER.

BEARS'S CHANCES OF FOREIGN OUTLET INJURE VALUES.

Decrease of any Export Demand Until Late in the Session Gives Power to the Upper Hand—Corn Sells Down Because of Heavy Receipts. Oats are Weaker—Other Markets.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 14.—Big stocks of wheat and the seeming dubious chances of an adequate foreign outlet exerted a bearish influence today on values here. The result was an unsettled close at 1 to 1 net decline, with May at 1.27¾ and July at 1.20¾. Corn finished 1¼@1½ down; oats off ¼ to ⅝@⅞, and provisions varying from 5@7½ loss to a rise of 2½@5. Absence of fresh export business until late in the session caused a good deal toward bringing about a lower average of wheat prices for the day. Heavy arrivals led to a sharp break in the corn market, but a good subdued demand at Peoria brought about something of a reaction. Oats declined in sympathy with corn. Noticeable displayes some transient support because of a buying movement on the part of several grain firms. Profit taking by holders subsequently wiped out most of the gains.

CLOSING PRICES.

Wheat, May, 1.27¾; July, 1.20¾. Corn, May and July, 77½. Oats, May, 47⅞; July, 45⅝. Pork, May, 20.60; July, 20.75. Lard, May, 10.32; July, 10.52. Ribs, May, 11.47; July, 11.62.

CASH GRAIN.

Wheat, No. 2 yellow, nominal; No. 4 white, 70¼@71½; No. 4 white, 70¼@71½. Rye, No. 2, 1.01½. Barley, 67@76. Timothy, 5.50@8.00. Clover, 10.00@

RANGE OF PRICES.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close Bid.	Close Asked.
May	1.27¾	1.28¼	1.26¾	1.27¾	.....
July	1.20¾	1.21¼	1.19¾	1.20¾	.....
May	77½	77⅝	76¾	.....	77⅛
July	74⅜	74⅝	73⅝	.....	74⅛
May	47⅝	47⅞	47⅛	47¾	.....
July	45¼	45¼	44¾	45¼	.....
May	20.72	20.72	20.52	20.60	.....
July	20.87	20.87	20.67	.....	20.70
May	10.42	10.42	10.32	10.32	.....
July	10.62	10.62	10.42	10.47	.....
May	11.47	11.47	11.42	11.47	.....
July	11.62	11.62	11.52	11.62	.....

DULUTH WHEAT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]
DULUTH, Feb. 14.—Close: Wheat, May, 1.28½; July, 1.23¾.

WINNIPEG WHEAT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]
WINNIPEG, Feb. 14.—Close: Wheat, May, 1.26; July, 1.24½. Flax, May, 2.15½; July, 2.15¾.

KANSAS CITY WHEAT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]
KANSAS CITY, Feb. 14. — Close: Wheat, May, 1.18; July, 1.14¾. Corn, May, 73¼; July, 78¾@78¾.

ST. LOUIS WHEAT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]
ST. LOUIS, Feb. 14.—Close: Wheat, May, 1.23; July, 1.17⅜. Corn, May, 75¼; July, 73⅜.

MINNEAPOLIS WHEAT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]
MINNEAPOLIS, Feb. 14. — Close: Wheat, May, 1.26; July, 1.24.

PORTLAND WHEAT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]
PORTLAND (Or.) Feb. 14.—Wheat nominal; no trading; spot bids 1 to 2½ under Bluestem, 1.07; fortyfold, 97; Club, 96; Red Fife, 94; Red Russian, 94.

SAN FRANCISCO WHEAT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]
SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 14.—Wheat, no trading. California club, 1.20@1.17½. Barley, weak, May, 1.42. Session: Wheat, steady; no trading. Barley, weak, May, 1.40 asked.

NEW YORK WHEAT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]
NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Wheat, spot nominal; No. 2 hard, 1.39¾; No. 1 durum, nominal; No. 1 northern Duluth, 1.47¼; No. 1 northern Manitoba, 1.56¼ f.o.b. New York; futures easy; May, 1.35¼. Corn, spot barely steady, No. 2 yellow, 84½ f.o.b. New York. Oats, spot easy. No. 2 white, 53½@54; standard, 54@54½; No. 3, 1.13@1.27½; No. 2, 1.19@1.27½; No. 2, 1.00@1.06; shipping, 1.00@1.06. Barley, steady. State common to fair, 1915, 15@27; 1914, 5@9; Pacific Coast, 1914, 12@15; 1915, 8@16. Hides, steady. Beans, $1@33; Central American, $1.90. Wool, steady; domestic fleece, 31@34.

PRICES ON LOCAL GRAIN EXCHANGE.

The following are quotations furnished by the Grain Exchange. All prices quoted are based on lots of 100 tons or over, and are f.o.b. Los Angeles.

	Bid.	Asked.
Pink Turkey milling wheat	.....	$2.20
White milling wheat	.....	2.12½
Red milling wheat	.....	2.10
Red club wheat	.....	1.95
Red known milling wheat	.....	1.92½
Red bluestem wheat	.....	1.82½
Red standard oats	.....	1.95
White No. 2 milling oats	.....	1.65
Red rolled barley	.....	2.05
Red bright feed barley	.....	1.60
Red dark feed barley	1.80	1.87½
Red yellow corn, cracked	1.27½	1.35
Red white corn, cracked	.....	1.75
Red Egyptian corn	.....	1.75
Red Kaffir corn	1.45	1.65
Red Durra corn	.....	1.32½
White Durra corn	.....	.....
Pure white bran	.....	29.50
Pure red bran	.....	28.00
Pure white middlings	.....	27.00
Pure red middlings	.....	27.50
Pure barley chop	.....	28.50
Pure mill run	.....	28.00

SPECIALS.

Barley futures—
Prompt half March... 1.82½ 1.87½
Prompt half March. 1.82½ 1.40
Oats 1.42½

DAIRY MARKETS STEADY TO FIRM.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]
NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Butter, firm; receipts, 3,668; creamery extras, 34@35½; firsts, 29@33; seconds, 26@28½. Eggs, firm, receipts, 5,827; extras, 28@29; extra firsts, 25@26; seconds, 24@25. Cheese, steady; State whole milk colored specials, 18½; do white specials, 18½; do colored average fancy, 18; do white average fancy, 18; do colored average run, 17@17¼.

CHICAGO MARKET.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]
CHICAGO, Feb. 14.—Butter, firm, receipts, 7,911; creameries, 28@31; dairies, 26@30. Eggs, higher, receipts, 21,000; ordinary firsts, 22@23; miscellaneous lots included, 20@23½.

SAN FRANCISCO MONEY.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]
SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 14.—Butter, firm; receipts, 62; prime 1-lb prints, 30; fresh extras, 1-lb prints, 28; pulverized, 28; fresh firsts, 23; pulverized, 23; new, 17½; Young

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PRODUCE MARKET IN SAN FRANCISCO.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]
SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 14.—Flour, 6.60@7.00.

Barley, feed, 1.32½@1.37½; shipping and brewing, 1.40@1.45. Oats, red, 1.32½@1.37½; white, 1.50@1.55. Wheat, California club, 1.72½@1.77½.

Hay, wheat, 16.00@17.00; wheat and oat, 15.00@15.00; tame oat, 15.00@16.50; other tame oat, 11.00@14.00; hay, 10.00@12.00; wild oat, 12.00@14.00; barley, nominal; straw, 25@40; alfalfa, 13.00@16.50.

Receipts — Flour, 17,436 quarters; barley, 21,008 centals; beans, 1294 sacks; potatoes, 8441 sacks; hay, 1218 tons; wine, 93,464 gallons; hides, 351 in number.

Beans—Large white, 6.20@6.30; small white, 6.20@6.30; limas, 4.85@4.95; pink, 4.60@4.70; California bayous, 5.30@5.40.

Potatoes—Delta, 1.25@1.50; Salinas, 1.75@2.00; sweets, 2.40@2.50.

Onions—California, 1.75@2.25.

Vegetables—Lima beans, 15@17½; string beans, 15@17½; bell peppers, 10@20; Los Angeles lettuce, 1.25@1.50; cucumbers, 2.25@2.75; eggplant, 10@20.

Poultry—Hens, 17@18; young roosters, 20@22; old, 10@11; fryers, 24@26; broilers, 24@26; squabs, 3.00@4.00; pigeons, 1.50@1.75; ducks, 12@15.

Fruit — Lemons, 2.75@3.50; grapefruit, 1.25@2.50; oranges, 1.75@2.50; bananas, Hawaiian, 50@1.50; pineapples, Hawaiian, 2.00@3.00.

STOCKS AND BONDS IN SAN FRANCISCO

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]
SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 14.—Following is today's range of prices:

	Bid.	Asked.
U. S. Bonds—		
4s quarterly coupon new	109½	.....
4s quarterly coupon	109¾	.....
State Bonds—		
San Francisco Sea Wall 4s	4.00	.....
Highway 4s	4.00	.....
Municipal Bonds—		
San Francisco Municipal 3½s	.....	4.55
Miscellaneous Bonds—		
Associated Oil Co. 6s	.....	102¾
Bay Counties Power Co. 5s	102½	103¾
Cal. Central Gas & Electric 5s	101¾	.....
Cal. Electric Gen. Co. Ser. A 5s	97	.....
Cal. Elec. Gen. Co. Unifying 5s	95¾	.....
Cal. Ter. Ry. & Light Co. 5s	99	99½
California Wine Association 5s	98	98¾
Central California Traction Co. 5s	.....	89½
City Electric Co. 5s	93	.....
Coast Counties Light & Power 5s	93	.....
Edison Light & Power 5s	100	.....
F. C. Wright De Nem. Pub. 4½s	102¾	.....
First Federal Trust Co. 6s	101	.....
Great Western Power Co. 5s	85¾	86¼
Hyampom R. T. & L. Co. 5s	100¾	60
Lake Tahoe Ry. & Nav. Co. 5s	.....	50
Los Angeles Gas & Electric Co. 5s	101	.....
Los Angeles Gas & Elec. Corp. 5s	97¾	.....
Los Angeles Railway 5s	99¾	.....
Los Angeles Railway Corp. 5s	99¾	.....
Los Angeles Lighting Gtd. 5s	100	66
L. A.-Pacific Railway of Cal. 5s	.....	100½
Marin Water & Power Co. 5s	.....	100¾
Market Street Ry. 1st Con. Mtg. 6s	69¾	.....
Northern Railway Co. of Cal. 5s	107¾	.....
Northern California Power Co. 6s	97	.....
Northern California Power Con. 5s	73¾	.....
Oakland Transit Co. 5s	100	.....
Oakland Transit Co. 5s	90	.....
Oakland Transit Con. 5s	83	.....
Oakland Traction Con. 5s	73	.....
Oakland Traction Co. 5s	.....	83
Omnibus Cable Railway 6s	94	.....
Pacific Gas Imp. 4s	.....	86
Pacific Gas & Electric Co. 5s	100¾	.....
Pacific Electric Railway Co. 5s	97¾	.....
Pacific Light & Power Co. 5s	102¾	.....
Pacific Light & Power Ctf. 5s	94	.....
Pacific Tel. & Tel. Co. 5s	101¼	.....
Sacramento Electric Gas & Ry. 5s	103	.....
San Joaquin Light & Power 5s	99¾	.....
S. J. L. & P. Cor. (Ser. A) 5s	101	.....
S. F., Oakland & San Jose Ry. 5s	87¼	.....
S. F., Oakland & S. J. 2nd Mtg. 5s	77	.....
S. F., Oak. & S. J. Con. 5s	89	.....
S. F. R. R. & C. 1st & Gtd. 5s	106½	.....
S. F. Branch Railway of Cal. 5s	122¾	.....
S. F. R. R. Co. 1st Refg. 4s	91	.....
Water Co. Con. Mtg. 4s	96	.....
United Gas & Electric Co. 5s	101	.....
United R. R. of S. F. 4s	.....	44
Valley Counties Power Co. 5s	102¾	.....
Yosemite	60	.....
Home Tel. & Tel.	80	.....
City Investment Co.	97¾	.....
California Gas & Electric	102¾	.....
Water Stocks—		
Spring Valley Water Co.	.....	.....
Gas and Electric Stocks—		
Ore. Electric Corp. Wd.	.....	13
Pacific Gas & Electric 1st pfd.	90¼	.....
Pacific Gas & Electric pfd.	.....	92¼
Pacific Gas & Electric com.	85¼	.....
Insurance Stocks—		
Fireman's Fund	255	260
Bank Stocks—		
Anglo-California Trust Co.	105	115
Anglo & London-Paris Nat'l Bank	141¾	145
Bank of California, N. A.	191½	.....
First National Bank of S. F.	225	235
Mercantile National Bank	217½	.....
Savings Union Bank & Trust Co.	255	258
Union Trust Co.	230	.....
Savings Banks—		
German Savings & Loan	3800	.....
Humboldt Savings Bank	.....	110
Mutual Savings Bank (250 paid up)	80	.....
Security Savings Bank	345	.....
Powder Stocks—		
E. I. du Pont de Nem. com.	.....	877
Sugar Stocks—		
Hawaiian Commercial & Sugar	46¾	.....
Hawaiian Sugar Co.	41½	.....
Honolua Sugar Co.	8¾	.....
Hutchinson Sugar Plantation	27	27½
Onomea Sugar Co.	51	.....
Paauhau Sugar Plantation Co.	25¾	26
Union Sugar Co.	26¾	27
Miscellaneous Stocks—		
Associated Oil Co.	66	.....
Associated Oil Co.	66¾	.....
Pacific Crude Oil Co.	7¾	15
Sterling Oil & Dev. Co.	135	.....
West Coast Oil pfd.	110	.....
Miscellaneous Stocks—		
Alaska Packers' Association	100¾	.....
Associated Oil Co. of New York pfd.	.....	94
California Fruit Canners' Ass'n.	125	.....
California Wine Associating pfd.	58	.....
California Wine Association com.	22½	.....
Mont. Tonn. Co. pfd.	.....	85
North Alaska Salmon Co.	110	120
Pacific Auxiliary Fire Alarm	4¼	.....
Pacific Tel. & Tel. pfd.	.....	97
Pacific Tel. & Tel. Corp.	20¼	22
Natomas	30	.....

SALES.

Morning session.
1,000 Pacific Tel. & Tel. 5s 101¼
1,000 Southern Pacific 5s 99¾
1,000 Pacific Gas & Electric 5s 99¾
220 Spring Valley Water Co. 97¾
100 Northern California Power 10
50 Northwestern Electric pfd. 84½
50 Pacific Gas & Electric 1st pfd. 90¾
105 Pacific Gas & Electric com. 68¾
50 Anglo & London-Paris Nat'l Bank 143
50 Northwestern Electric com. 54½
100 Hawaiian Sugar Co. 40¾
145 Hawaiian Sugar Co. 41¼
100 Hutchinson Sugar Plantation 27
75 Union Sugar Co. 26¾
200 Union Sugar Co. 26¾
250 Honolua Sugar Co. 8¾
400 Honolua Sugar Co. 8¾
310 Paauhau Sugar Plantation Co. 25¾
125 Paauhau Sugar Plantation Co. 25¾
30 Hawaiian Commercial & Sugar 46¾
45 Hawaiian Commercial & Sugar 46¾
25 Hawaiian Commercial & Sugar 46¾
30 Hawaiian Commercial & Sugar 46¾
Afternoon session.
1,000 Los Angeles Gas & Electric 5s 100¼
1,000 United R. R. of S. F. 4s 44¼
1,000 Pacific Gas & Electric 5s 99¾
50 Associated Oil Co. 66¾
40 Associated Oil Co. 66¾
145 Spring Valley Water Co. 97¾
10 Northern California Power 10
50 Northwestern Electric com. 54½
100 Hawaiian Sugar Co. 40¾
50 Hawaiian Sugar Co. 40¾
100 Hawaiian Sugar Co. 41
100 Hutchinson Sugar Plantation 27
200 Union Sugar Co. 26¾
100 Honolua Sugar Co. 8¾
100 Paauhau Sugar Plantation Co. 25¾
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50 Hawaiian Commercial & Sugar 46¾
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NEW YORK BONDS "CLOSING PRICES.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]
NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Today's bond sales follow:

	Close
United States Ref. 2s registered	.....
United States Ref. 2s coupon	99¾
United States 2s registered	102¾
United States 2s coupon	102
United States 4s registered	110½
United States 4s coupon	110¾
American Smelter 6s	111¾
Atchison General 4s	85
New York Central Deb. 6s	115¾
Northern Pacific 4s	94¼
Northern Pacific 3s	74¾
Pacific Tel. & Tel. 5s	101
Pennsylvania Conv. 3½s	100¼
Southern Pacific Ref. 4s	90¾
Union Pacific conv. 4s	97¾
Union Pacific Conv. 4s	98¾
United States Steel 5s	102
Southern Pacific Conv. 5s	100¾
Anglo-French Conv. 5s	84¼

CALIFORNIA DRIED FRUIT QUOTATIONS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]
NEW YORK, Feb. 14. — Evaporated apples, dull; fancy, 8¼@9¾; choice, 6¾@7¼; prime, 5¾@6¼. Prunes, quiet; California, 4@11¼; Oregon, 7¼@9¾. Apricots, steady; choice, 10@10¾; extra choice, 10½@11; fancy, 12@12½. Peaches, steady, choice, 5¼; extra choice, 5½; fancy, 6¼. Raisins, firm, loose muscatels, 7¼@7¾; choice, to fancy seeded, 7¼@7¾; seedless, 9½@10½.

DAILY EASTERN CITRUS MARKET QUOTATIONS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 14.—Four cars navels sold. Market is lower. Thirty-four cars oranges and three cars lemons withdrawn on account of extremely cold weather.

NAVELS.

	Avge.
Regal, Growers Ft. Co.	$2.25
Regent, Growers Ft. Co.	2.15
Plain, Growers Ft. Co.	1.85
Condor, Ball & Tweedy	1.75
Mars, Amer. Ft. Dis.	2.00
Jupiter, Amer Ft. Dis.	1.80
Perfection, Highgrove O.G.A.	2.75
Golden Rid, Highgrove O.G.A.	2.40
Orchard Queen, Collins Ft. Co.	2.15

Cincinnati Market.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]
CINCINNATI, Feb. 14. — Five cars sold. Market steady on oranges, weaker on lemons.

NAVELS.

	Avge.
San Fernando's Best	$2.55
San Fernando's Choice	2.25
Red Shield, A.C.G. Ex.	2.40
Green Crown, A.C.G. Ex.	2.15
El Verano, A.C.G. Ex.	2.35
Siesta, A.C.G. Ex.	2.25
Jungle, A.C.G. Ex.	1.95

LEMONS.

Circus, Sparr Ft. Co.	$2.15
Del Oro	2.25
Consul, Q.C. Ex.	2.35
Diplomat	2.95
Envoy	2.35
Blue Flag	3.50
Red Flag	3.20
Silence	2.35
Cry Baby	2.40

Philadelphia Market.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]
PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 14.—One car lemons sold. Market is lower.

LEMONS.

	Avge.
Moose, O.K. Ex.	$3.25
Pronghorn, O.K. Ex.	3.15
Buck, O.K. Ex.	3.25
Red Ensign, O.K. Ex.	3.20
White Ensign, O.K. Ex.	3.20

Cleveland aMrket.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]
CLEVELAND, Feb. 14.—Seven cars sold. Market weaker on oranges.

NAVELS.

	Avge.
Alphabetical, Or. Ex.	$1.60
Ticktock, Or. Ex.	1.45
Fontana Girl, S.B. Ex.	1.55
Fountain of Gold, S.B. Ex.	1.85
Morning Star, S.B. Ex.	1.55
Mother Colony, S.T. Ex.	2.20
Balboa, S.T. Ex.	1.80
Victoria, A.H. Ex.	2.00
Whittier, S.T. Ex.	2.10
La Puente, S.T. Ex.	1.90
Pine Cone, R.H. Ex.	2.65
Carrier, R.H. Ex.	2.25
Gold Buckle, R.H. Ex.	2.53
Belt, R.H. Ex.	2.25
How Good	2.55
Mars, Amer. Ft. Dis.	2.50
Cottontail, J. A. Maddock	2.40
Mars, Amer. Ft. Dis.	2.35
Modjeska, Anaheim O.G.A.	2.30
Aqueduct, Randolph Ft. Co.	2.25
Lighthouse, Randolph Ft. Co.	2.10
Jupiter, Amer. Ft. Dis.	2.10
Bouquet, Randolph Ft. Co.	1.80
Gold Bar, G.O. Assn.	1.75
Geranium, Randolph Ft. Co.	1.60

LEMONS.

Mars, Amer. Ft. Dis.	$3.05
Jupiter	2.90

Pittsburgh Market.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]
PITTSBURGH, Feb. 14.—Eight cars sold. Market lower on both oranges and lemons.

NAVELS.

	Avge.
Crestline, R.H. Ex.	$1.95
Togo, R.H. Ex.	2.10
Mill Creek, R.H. Ex.	2.45
Cornucopia, R.H. Ex.	2.40
Violet, D.M. Ex.	2.25
Tallyho, S.B. Ex.	2.20
Big R, S.B. Ex.	2.05
Violet, D.M. Ex.	2.55
Jasmine, D.M. Ex.	2.40
Biplane, Chaftone-Mentone Hgts.	2.45
Dirigible, C.M. Hgts.	2.45

Paying Debts.

TEN MILLIONS IN GOLD COMING HERE FROM JAPAN.

[A. P. FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE.]

TOKIO, Jan. 12.—Huge international financial transactions are being carried out through the transportation of gold on the Japanese cruisers Tokiwa and Chitose, which will soon sail for the United States on a financial mission connected with furnishing war supplies to Russia.

Great Britain owed a gold specie balance to Japan, and it was decided, owing to the danger of the dispatch of gold by sea, to ask Russia to send the necessary specie to Japan and credit Russia with a similar amount in London. With infinite precaution the gold was conveyed from Petrograd to Vladivostok, where the Japanese cruisers, heavily guarded, were waiting, and from whence they sailed with their precious burden to Maizuru. At the same time and by the same means Russia forwarded to Japan a great quantity of silver ingots destined for the Japanese national mint at Osaka, where, under the direction of Russian experts, they will be made into Russian silver coins for circulation in the Russian empire. The gold specie importation was estimated at 20,000,000 yen, or $10,000,000.

According to information at Tokio, the forthcoming voyage of the Tokiwa and Chitose to the United States o Canada is for the purpose of transporting gold specie in behalf of Russia and the embarkation in America of quantities of material for the manufacture of war supplies. The idea is to hasten the turning out of supplies by Japan, so that Russia may be fully furnished with munitions by the spring or summer.

UNLISTED STOCK PRICES.

[Furnished by Jno. O. Knight & Co., 434 H. W. Hellman Bldg.]

	Bid.	Asked.
American Oilfields	$ 15.00	$ 20.00
Anaheim Sugar	70.00	85.00
Bank of Commerce Copper	.10	.20
Bank of Italy	182.50	140.00
Black Range Mining	.03	.42
California Delta Farms	47.00	.....
California Pacific Life	12.50	.....
Carter Gold M. & M.	.15	.17
Chase Jones (Oatman)	.10	.13
Chicago Corporation	73	.....
Continental National Bank	105.00	115.00
Continental Securities	87.50	92.50
Craig Shipbuilding	75.00	90.00
Gilt Edge (Oatman)	.13	.15
Globe Grain & Milling	130.00	120.00
Gold Key (Oatman)	.15	.18
Gold Ore Mining	.02	.03
Gold Reed M. & M.	.22	.35
Gold Road Sonoma	.15	.20
Grand Republic Life	4.25	5.75
Hale-McLeod Oil	.05	.10
International Indemnity	3.50	4.50
Jerome-Verde Copper	.30	.40
L. A. & Inv. 6 per cent. Notes	77.00	82.00
L. A. Inv. 12 per cent. notes	97.00	100.00
Lake View No. 2 Oil	.40	.50
Lay Boy (Oatman)	.25	.27½
Lexington-Arizona Mining	.50	.60
London-Arizona Copper	.41	.43
Long Beach Steamship	85.00	95.00
Mascot Copper	1.62½	1.87½
Merchants' Ice & Cold Storage	75.00	85.00
Mexican Premier Oil	.05	.08
Montebello Oil	.12½	.15
Mt. Diablo Oil	.01	.02
Nellie (Oatman)	.25	.27½
New Cornelia Copper	12.00	12.50
New Dome Mining	.40	.45
Oatman Combination	.14	.17½
Owl Drug Co. com.	38.00	40.00
Owl Drug Co. pfd.	98.00	100.00
Pacific Sewer Pipe	.....	40.00
Pacific Wharf & Storage	7.50	12.50
Pilmer Arsenic Co.	.08	.10
Pioneer Consolidated Mining	.06½	.10
Premier Oil	.16	.20
Provident Fleden Corn pfd.	.22	.30
Riverside Portland Cement	62.50	72.50
San Francisco Life	.35	.45
San Joaquin L. & P. com.	6.00	8.00
San Joaquin L. & P. pfd.	60.00	.....
State Consolidated Oil	.....	.50
Telluride M. M. & Dev.	.25	.27
Tonopah Mining Co.	.06	.08
Union Tool Mfg.	65.00	.....
Yuban Fire Insurance	8.00	9.50
Western Casualty & Guaranty	1.75	2.50
Western States Life	7.00	8.00
Western Steam Navigation	22.00	.....

LIMA BEANS SELL AT THREE FIFTY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]
CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES.
Feb. 14.—There is very little demand for Lima beans in the pod; the price per hamper ranges from 3.00 to 3.50.

OIL STOCK QUOTATIONS IN NEW YORK.

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NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Closing quotations:

	Close Bid.	Close Asked.
Anglo-Amer.	16¼	16¾
Atlantic	650	660
Borne S.	275	285
Buckeye	100	110
Chicago	730	740
Colonial	175	185
Continental	270	275
Crescent	44	47
Crum Land	60	65
Eureka	295	240
Galena	143	151
Do. pfd.	177	180
Ind. Pipe	105	108
Nat. Trac.	21	22
N. Y. Trans.	205	210
N. Pipe	104	106
Ohio Oil	227	230
Prairie	230	240
Solar	250	260
Mex. Ameri.	2	2½
Mex. Metals	40	41
Miami	37¾	37¾
Michigan	1⅝	1¾
Mck. Dar.	48	48
Mohawk	68	69
Nev. Cons.	10¼	10¾
Nipissing	7⅝	7¾
N. Butte	20	20¼
Nev. Dong.	80	85
Ohio	20	25
Old Mor.	14	16
Oljibway	1¾	2¼
Old Dom.	70	70½
Old Colony	2	3
Osceo	90	91
Onondaga	1⅞	2
Osceola	58	59
Pond Creek	13¼	13¾
Quincy	65½	66
Ray Cons.	25¾	25⅞
Rhode	5	5¼
Rockwell	2¾	3
Shannon	11¾	12
Shattuck	29	29½
Stewart	1¾	2
St. Mary	30	31
S. Lake	7¾	8
Sup. & B.	8¾	9
Sup. Co.	22¼	23
S. D. Co.	128	130½
S. W. Miami	1¾	2
Tamarack	63	63¾
Tonopah	6¼	6¾
Tono. Ex.	4¼	4¾
Trinity	10	10½
Utah Cons.	14¾	15
Utah Cons.	13¾	15¾
U. S. M. & S. com.	62¾	63
U. S. M. & S. pfd.	50	50½
Us. Fruit	140¾	141¼
Us. Verde	12	12 1-16
Shoe Mach. com.	53	53¼
Do. pfd.	98	98
Victoria	3¾	4¼
Winona	4¾	5
Wolverine	65	67
Wyandotte	2¾	3
Yukon	2¾	3¾
Ventura	1¾	2
New Cornelia	12	12¼
Success	75	75

CLOSING PRICES ON NEW YORK CURB.

[Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members New York Stock Exchange, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Closing quotations:

	Close Bid.	Close Asked.
Am. Marc.	23¾	24
Ahmeek	102	103
Allouez	73	73½
Algoma	5	5¼
Am. Pneu.	13	13½
Do. pfd.	45	47½
Am. Zinc.	76¾	77
Arcadian	9¾	9¾
Arizona	22	23
Baltic	3¼	4
Bos. Ely	45	50
Bonnie	80	81
Belmont	1¾	1¾
Bos. Bell	39	41
Bohemia	2	2¼
Butte & A.	69¾	70
Calaveras	37¾	38
Cal. & A.	74½	74¾
Cal. Corbin	3½	4
Cal. & H.	880	894
Chief Cons.	1¼	1 1-16
Cons. Aria.	1¾	1¾
Copper Q.	65	65½
Davis Daly	1 1-16	1 1-8
E. Butte	14¾	15
First Nat.	6¾	6¾
Fortuna	6	6¼
Franklin	10	10½
Con. Cop.	1¾	1¾
Contact	60	70
Corbin	80	80½
Granby	90¾	97
Greene Cas.	49	49¼
Gila Cons.

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CITY DEPARTMENTS IN ARMED TRUCE.

BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS RESENTS ATTITUDE OF COUNCIL.

Question of Rights and Powers Conferred by the City Charter is Brought up and San Fernando Valley Road Funds are Yet to be Apportioned.

An armed truce was established yesterday between the City Council and the Board of Public Works and open warfare over the expenditure of the San Fernando district road funds was indefinitely postponed until after the mass-meeting with the Van Nuys Chamber of Commerce next Thursday night. In the meantime, the Council rests on its action of last week forbidding the Board of Public Works from making a move towards the expenditure of the $24,000 remaining in the San Fernando district road fund, while the Board of Public Works members maintain that the board has certain powers and duties defined by the city charter, which the board proposes to carry out to the best of its ability.

It was last Wednesday that the Council "instructed" the Board of Public Works to take no action for spending the road money until it received instructions from the Council, and the Council also "instructed" the City Engineer to report direct to the Council on tentative plans for the road improvements in the recently annexed territory. This aroused the ire of the Board of Public Works to such an extent that a letter was prepared and addressed to the City Council. Among other things, it is understood, this letter pointed out a few set sentences in the charter to the effect that the Board of Public Works has charge of the streets and alleys of the city. It also inferred that the charter says the City Council, in issuing instructions to boards and appointive officials, shall do so only by city ordinance.

In the case of the letter, the Board of Public Works took the advice of Abraham Lincoln to "Write a letter when you are angry and then don't send it."

In addition to discussing road improvements, the Van Nuys meeting Thursday night will take up the matter of storm drains and flood control. It is indicated that the San Fernando district citizens have accepted the view that the Council holds the whip hand over the Board of Public Works and up to a late hour yesterday the Board of Public Works had received no invitation to the meeting at Van Nuys.

ROLLER TOWELS AGAIN.
ONLY SIX MONTHS' GRACE

The anti-roller towel ordinance was passed the second time by the City Council yesterday. Councilmen Conwell and Topham opposed its passage on the ground that its terms are too drastic. Councilman Langdon brought about a compromise whereby the ordinance will not go into effect until six months after publication, thus giving building owners and the laundries an opportunity to adjust their business to anticipate the effect of the new regulations.

Councilman Conwell offered an amendment to permit the use of the roller towel by an association of employees in any building. This was voted down and Councilwoman Lindsey who has been especially active in bringing about the passage of the ordinance, would consent to no change other than the six months' extension of time.

"I want to say, in voting against this ordinance, that I am not standing for roller towels," said Mr. Conwell. "I think, though, that this ordinance is altogether too drastic. We have asked for a reasonable modification of its terms, and this has been refused. I can not be indifferent to a petition that bears the signatures of so many prominent business men, including the owners of fifty-four big office buildings, who say that if this ordinance is passed, their tenants will get no towels at all."

FREE DANCE PERMITS.
ORDINANCE TO BE CHANGED.

Amendments to the dance hall license ordinance were approved by the Council Finance Committee yesterday which exempt organizations of various kinds from payment of $20 for a permit to give a dance. The exemptions made in the new ordinance drafted by City Prosecutor Williams as instructed by the committee are "Civic or improvement associations, fraternal, benevolent and protective organizations and labor unions. Hotels and apartment-houses are also exempted from the charge when the dances are given for the benefit or amusement of guests.

By requiring permits for these dances through the Police Commission, the city authorities retain jurisdiction sufficient to regulate all objectionable dances.

PROBLEM IS UNSOLVED.
TAXI DRIVERS INTERESTED.

Representatives of the railroads, hotels and taxicab companies held another conference with members of the Council yesterday relative to the terms of the proposed ordinance against free-for-all competition for taxicab business. The Public Welfare Committee has been trying for a year to frame an ordinance that will bring about the needed regulations without creating or fostering a "taxicab trust" in combination with the large hotels. According to members of the committee, they are about where they started, but a new draft of the ordinance will be ready for more public hearings next week.

Ancient and Modern History.

Councilman John Topham, chairman of the Public Works Committee, addressed the West Washington Street Improvement Association last night at the Sprague-street school. Mr. Topham reviewed the action of the Council in attempting to provide a crossing over the Pacific Electric right of way at Sherman drive, near the Vineyard station. Agitation for this crossing, he said, began in the Council in December, four years ago, and now there is promise of success in getting an overhead crossing.

Object to Commissioner.

Objections to the tentative plan of substituting a single commissioner for the Motion-picture Censor Board were presented to the Council yesterday by the local Federation of Improvement Associations. The organization is of the opinion that local censorship of any kind is unnecessary and creation of the position of commissioner on salary will be a waste of money. The letter went to the Public Welfare Committee, which is considering the new ordinance.

CITY HALL BITS.
ON MINOR SUBJECTS.

A lease between the Harbor Commission and the Regan Oil Tool Supply Company for a tract 150 by 400 feet for an industrial plant on Smith's Island at the Municipal Harbor was approved by the Council yesterday.

An appropriation of $500 towards the expenses of national baby week activities was recommended by the Council Finance Committee yesterday. The week will be observed locally under auspices of the Federation of Women's Clubs with meetings at Trinity Auditorium during the week of March 4.

The City Clerk was instructed by the Council yesterday to withhold presentation of the final ordinance for the improvement of Monroe street between Virgil and Madison streets until sewers are constructed.

The Council instructed the City Attorney yesterday to prepare an ordinance calling a water bond election in District No. 2, for the Mission district, on March 28.

The request of the Public Utilities Board for an ordinance requiring $11,000 indemnity bonds of drivers of taxicabs, interurban busses and sightseeing cars was received by the Council yesterday and referred to the Public Utilities Committee.

Hotel porters of Los Angeles addressed a petition to the City Council yesterday asking that an ordinance be passed to compel hotels to place all porters on a salary basis. The petitioners say they are simply "privileged beggars," as the hotels pay them no wages, but compel them to live on tips. Because of this custom, the porters say, they do not come under the workmen's compensation law.

The Lot Beautiful Committee's request to the Council for creation of a commission with a salaried secretary was referred to the Finance Committee yesterday.

On recommendation of City Attorney Stephens yesterday the Council authorized suits for condemnation of rights of way for municipal power transmission lines in San Fernando Valley. The rights are to be sought through the McClay rancho, the Providencia and Scott tracts and through property of the Porter Land and Water Company.

Rolling In.

MEN LENDING AID TO Y.W.C.A. FUND.

WILLIS BOOTH REPORTS TEN THOUSAND RAISED.

Total at Noon Yesterday Over Thirty-four Thousand Dollars. Campaign for Means to Extend the Association's Work Closes on Thursday Night.

Willis Booth, vice-chairman of the Men's Committee which has enlisted to help in the campaign of the Young Women's Christian Association for a $100,000 fund for extending the association's work, gave an encouraging talk at the noon luncheon yesterday. Mr. Booth's remarks were enthusiastically received and his report of $10,000 secured by the committee was greeted with a siren call led by the gymnasium girls present.

The women's teams gave unusually good reports also, bringing the total up to $34,212.75.

Miss Ella Schooley, commander-in-chief, announced that the campaign would close Thursday night at 5 o'clock, and it is expected a large number of new workers will enter the work tomorrow.

A number of luncheon guests participated in the pleasant excitement of the noon reports. Miss Ida Lindley, general for the gold side, had as her guests Mrs. Sumner P. Hunt, Mrs. Sherman Hammond, Mrs. Lyman Farwell, Mrs. Irwin J. Mums, Mrs. George Drake Ruddy and Mrs. Walter Lindley.

A roll of honor for each side showed captains of teams to have won distinction to be Miss Alice Gastren and Mrs. S. W. Crabill of the blue side; Mrs. E. S. Pauly and Mrs. Jay Spence, and Miss Rose Smith of the gold. The honor teams among the business women's teams are those captained by Miss Joy Bennett and Mrs. Vera Oldham.

BONDS AND CASH GONE.

Aged Tourist Reports Robbery and Accuses Woman Servant.

Michael Miller, a tourist from Michigan, N. D., saw $4000 in bonds and $40 in money taken from his rooms by a servant whom he called "You," yesterday, and the girl escaped through a window before the aged man could stop her. He reported the loss to the police, and gave a description of the young woman, whom, he says, he saw take the valuables.

Mr. Miller occupies an apartment at No. 1512 West First street. He needed someone to care for his rooms, so employed the woman, about 28 years old. He said he never learned her name, as she was only around the rooms for a short time in the morning and at meal times, and he called her "You."

Yesterday he was seated in the front room of the four-room suite, when he heard noises in a rear room. He went there to investigate and saw the young woman, he says, stuffing his valuable papers into her stocking. He is crippled, and he says he called to her to stop, but she nimbly jumped through the window, out upon a porch and down a fire escape.

He shouted for someone to stop her, but was unable to get aid, and the girl fled down the street. Mr. Miller has wired the bank in North Dakota not to honor the bonds if presented there for payment.

SAVES HER CHILDREN.

Mother Successfully Applies First Aid Remedies for Poisoning.

Mrs. William Arndt, No. 2330 Wall street, found a book containing the rules of first aid to the injured, read the antidotes for certain poisons, applied the antidotes to her children, Caroline and William, and saved them from death from aconite poisoning. The children had swallowed more than fifty aconite pills, thinking they were candy.

They brought the empty bottle to their mother, asking for more, although Caroline was complaining of a "hurt" in her stomach. Mrs. Arndt concluded if she waited for an ambulance to take her little ones to the Receiving Hospital it would be too late, so she found the cure and applied it with success.

At the Courthouse.

FOURTEEN YEARS IN PENITENTIARY.

CONFESSED BURGLARS GIVEN LONG SENTENCES.

Men are Believed to be Implicated in Many Robberies and to Have Participated in Greater Crimes Here and in Other Pacific Coast Cities.

Fourteen years each in San Quentin is the sentence received by James Murray and Tom Green, who pleaded guilty last week to a minor burglary charge, but are alleged master criminals. Judge Craig in sentencing the men intimated to them they probably were getting off easy.

According to evidence introduced by Deputy District Attorney Selph, yesterday morning, Murray and Green were implicated in the killing of a police officer in Seattle and in numerous hold-ups and other crimes in San Francisco. Detectives Cline and Bowe were on hand and prior to the sentencing of the men, Detective Cline read a statement made by Murray.

According to this, the prisoner confessed to several hold-ups involving not only the man arrested with him, but also James Duncan and H. F. Dunnigan. The latter is in the County Hospital, suffering from a bullet wound, said to have been received from a San Francisco policeman while making a getaway from the scene of a hold-up. Duncan is in the City Jail, and on the recovery of Dunnigan, will be taken San Francisco with him for trial.

Murray and Green are two of the four men who raided a poker party at the New Maryton Hotel on the night of last January 4. They were accused specifically of having robbed Daniel Welch of money and jewelry valued at several hundred dollars.

AT VARIANCE.
SEEKING THE TRUTH.

Judge Wood did not pose as a Solomon yesterday. How could he when C. R. Chase declared he had paid Bertha K. Chase alimony ordered by the court and she asserted he had not?

"I gave her the money in bills, taken from my pay check," he said. "When I asked her for the change, she said I was a cheap skate and would not come through."

Mr. Chase offered a receipt as proof.

"Your Honor, he made a show of paying me my $22.50, and thinking I was going to get the money, I made out a receipt and he grabbed it," Mrs. Chase asserted.

This must have looked reasonable to the court, for he said to the husband, "I will give you five days to pay the $22.50 alimony; I don't think you paid it."

"I did pay it," stoutly affirmed Mr. Chase.

"Somebody has committed perjury of the rankest kind," then said the court, and he went on to outline the consequences. He said he wanted the truth, and if he did not get it, he would have the matter investigated. Mr. Chase still declared he had paid the money. In order to get a start at the truth, the court ordered Mr. Chase's employer into court with the records which would show what character of money the pay check contained. The matter will be heard again tomorrow.

QUESTIONS OF LAW.
FALSE PRETENSES CASE.

An entire afternoon was passed yesterday in Judge Willis's court in fighting for and against the granting of a new trial to George C. Norman, recently found guilty of obtaining $7060 from the Pacific Electric under false pretenses. Attorneys Fredericks and Hanna for the defendant argued that several legal questions had been improperly interpreted and evidence admitted that was not at all connected with the case. Deputy District Attorney Doran, who successfully handled the prosecution, endeavored to disprove these contentions.

Judge Willis refused to announce his decision at the conclusion of the lengthy debate. He stated that he would hand this down tomorrow. Norman was convicted of having secured money for the death of his alleged wife. It was shown that he had been married in New York and had a wife and child residing in that place before coming to California, in 1913, with Miss Jeannette Terresa Josephson, whom he represented as his bride.

KENTUCKY ROMANCE.
SEQUEL IN DIVORCE COURT.

The marriage of Miss Laurene C. Crosthwaite to Goodwin D. Chase December 26, 1909, was a society event in Lexington, Ky. The Crosthwaites are wealthy. Mr. Chase was a college boy. Yesterday the romance had a sequel in the divorce court. Mrs. Chase wanted support for her two children. Mr. Chase was willing to provide for them, but at present there was nothing he could turn his hands to.

He stated that a business venture went to smash because of the divorce action. There was a time when he cleaned up as high as $700 in one afternoon's work, he said. The court thought he ought to pay $30 a month to his children. The question with Mr. Chase was to find a way to earn the money.

Attorney Haas suggested that a job as motorman or conductor would bring in that much money, but Judge Wood did not think the young man should be called on to do that kind of work.

Mrs. Chase said she had received financial aid from her mother and other relatives. She left home when it was threatened to foreclose a chattel on the furniture.

"I love my wife and my children," said Mr. Chase, "and I am willing to do all in my power to support them. I am living in the home she left, and she would be welcomed home."

Mrs. Chase charges nonsupport and mental cruelty.

POOR ADVICE
COSTS DOUBLE EAGLE.

Having been advised by an indemnity company that he need not appear in Judge Monroe's court, having been subpoenaed as a witness, C. H. Dixon of the Bellevue Transfer Company parted with $20 in the courtroom yesterday for acting on the advice.

After he had made his explanation Judge Monroe told Mr. Dixon he could choose between the advice of the company or the mandate of the court. As the court adjudged him guilty of contempt and fined him, Mr. Dixon made a mental reservation that the next time the court would be his choice.

He was wanted as a witness in the suit of F. Weiner against the Bellevue Transfer Company. When he did not appear Bailiff Cronin went after him and brought him in. The case against the company was continued.

ONE ON THEM?
NEVER, SAYS LAWYER.

Rather than suffer the imputation that an advantage had been taken of the attorneys in the suit of Ezra T. Stimson against his brother-in-law, Fred P. Waters, to recover $10,000 alleged to have been advanced to Mr. Waters by Mr. Stimson, Attorney Schauer moved in Judge Wellborn's court yesterday that the case be reset, and it was set down for trial on the 29th inst.

When the case was called last week neither Mr. Stimson nor his attorneys appeared, and the suit was dismissed. Yesterday Attorney Weyl, representing Mr. Stimson, stated to Judge Wellborn that judgment had been given against his client through the inadvertence of his legal representatives failing to appear in court. This was the signal for Attorney Schauer to repudiate the statement and to declare that he was willing to test the merits of the case by a trial.

Mr. Stimson says the money he loaned his brother-in-law was spent on Mr. Waters's Orange county ranch. Mr. Waters denies any money was loaned to him by Mr. Stimson, but sets up that various sums were spent on the ranch by Mr. and Mrs. Stimson and that such acts were voluntary on their part.

AS TO A DIET.
HUSBAND SKEPTICAL.

Matthew W. Kerr, a Pacific Electric conductor, who intimated that his wife, Nettie M. Kerr, purposely delayed her divorce suit, told Judge Wood yesterday when he heard she was ill he went to the home of her sister and found Mrs. Kerr eating ham and eggs.

"When she saw me coming she jumped into bed, and she was wearing her hat and a kimono," he said.

Mrs. Kerr came back with the remark that she had given her husband $5 a week from her earnings as a cigar maker and she had kept this up for ten years.

"I was sick, judge, and I was in bed," she stated.

The court ordered Mr. Kerr to pay Mrs. Kerr $5 a month. This money will keep up the payments on a house the couple are buying on an installment plan.

AGAIN PUT OFF.
APPEALED CASE DRAGS.

The final continuance of numerous ones that have been secured in the past was granted by Judge Willis in the case of James W. Byrnes, alleged bunco man, who was convicted of stealing $5000 from G. P. Friesez, an Iowa farmer. This judgment was reversed when the matter went to the Court of Appeal. The new trial date has been pushed along for six months. It had been set for March 1, but the defense insisted that more time was necessary to secure data. The prosecution agreed to a few more weeks of waiting. Judge Willis finally agreed to the continuance to April 12, on the promise from both sides that no more time would be asked.

IN AND OUT
ABOUT THE COURTS.

SHORT SENTENCE. Joe Garra was given a sentence of eight years in San Quentin for having killed his former friend, Marcelino Ramirez. In giving such a short sentence for the crime, Judge Craig stated that there were many extenuating circumstances. Ramirez was killed in a quarrel, and Garra tried to prove that he had acted in self-defense. Both men were intoxicated at the time of the fight.

SON'S INHERITANCE. Seeking to safeguard the inheritance of Albert Duffill, the young son of Harry and Martha Duffill, who were recently divorced, the mother yesterday petitioned the Probate Court to be appointed guardian of his person, and the Los Angeles Trust and Savings Bank the guardian of his estate. Albert inherited $3000 a year from the estate of his grandmother, Eugenie A. Duffill, the money to be used for his education and maintenance. In the divorce proceedings the mother was given the custody of her son.

RUSTY NAIL SUIT. Mrs. Elizabeth M. McCulloch, a patron of the Ocean Park bath-house, stepped into a dressing-room August 15, 1915, to change into street attire, and trod with a bare foot on a loose cleat which, she charges, contained rusty nails. The points penetrated the foot, and yesterday she brought suit for $10,000 damages. Her husband, John A. McCulloch, asked $1025, $1000 of which are for loss of his wife's services as housekeeper.

HUSBAND GONE. Mrs. Alice Lesser, wife of Emil Lesser, came into the Probate Court yesterday with a petition to be placed in charge of his affairs. Mr. Lesser, she says, disappeared November 2, 1915, and has not since been heard from. He owned real estate and personal property which need attention. The Lessers live at No. 752 East Adams street.

SPRING ESTATE. Mrs. Aluna O. Spring, who died January 29, last, left an estate of $40,000. Yesterday Cora S. Holland, a daughter, petitioned for letters of administration. With her brothers, W. O. and Arthur L. Spring, she will inherit the estate.

ASKS RECEIVER. Asking that the courts set aside a Sheriff's sale of 374 shares of stock of the Broadway Theater Company, sold under execution, for the appointment of a receiver and for an injunction, J. A. Quinn, who held the stock, alleges in a suit filed yesterday against Andrew M. Strong, J. H. Collier, the Broadway and Superba Theater companies, Sheriff Cline and others conspiracy to control the Superba and Broadway theaters, and in the course of this alleged scheme Mr. Quinn's stock was levied on without notice to him. Mr. Strong is an attorney, and M. Collier is his father-in-law. It is alleged that the stock was bought in by Mr. Collier.

WIDOW CONTESTS. Declaring that because of a controversy between her husband, John Fitzgibbon, and her son by a former marriage, the former was prejudiced against her, and that Mr. Fitzgibbon bequeathed property in his will in which she should share, Mrs. Catherine Fitzgibbon filed a contest in the Probate Court yesterday. A codicil to the will gave more than half of the community property to relatives.

INCORPORATIONS. Sam Meyers & Co.; incorporators, C. R. Meyers, Sam Meyers and A. Garfield; capital stock, $50,000; subscribed, $3. Immediate Relief Society; incorporators, Sadie Zuckerman, Louise B. Mitchell, Bee Stramm, Martha Matthias, Elsie Sebastian, Martha Taylor, Lucina E. Wheeler, Florence Anderson and Annie M. Barin; no capital stock. Los Angeles Stationery Company; incorporators, Roscoe M. Breeden, L. R. Lunther and Mollie S. Breeden; capital stock, $10,000; subscribed, $1000.

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[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

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